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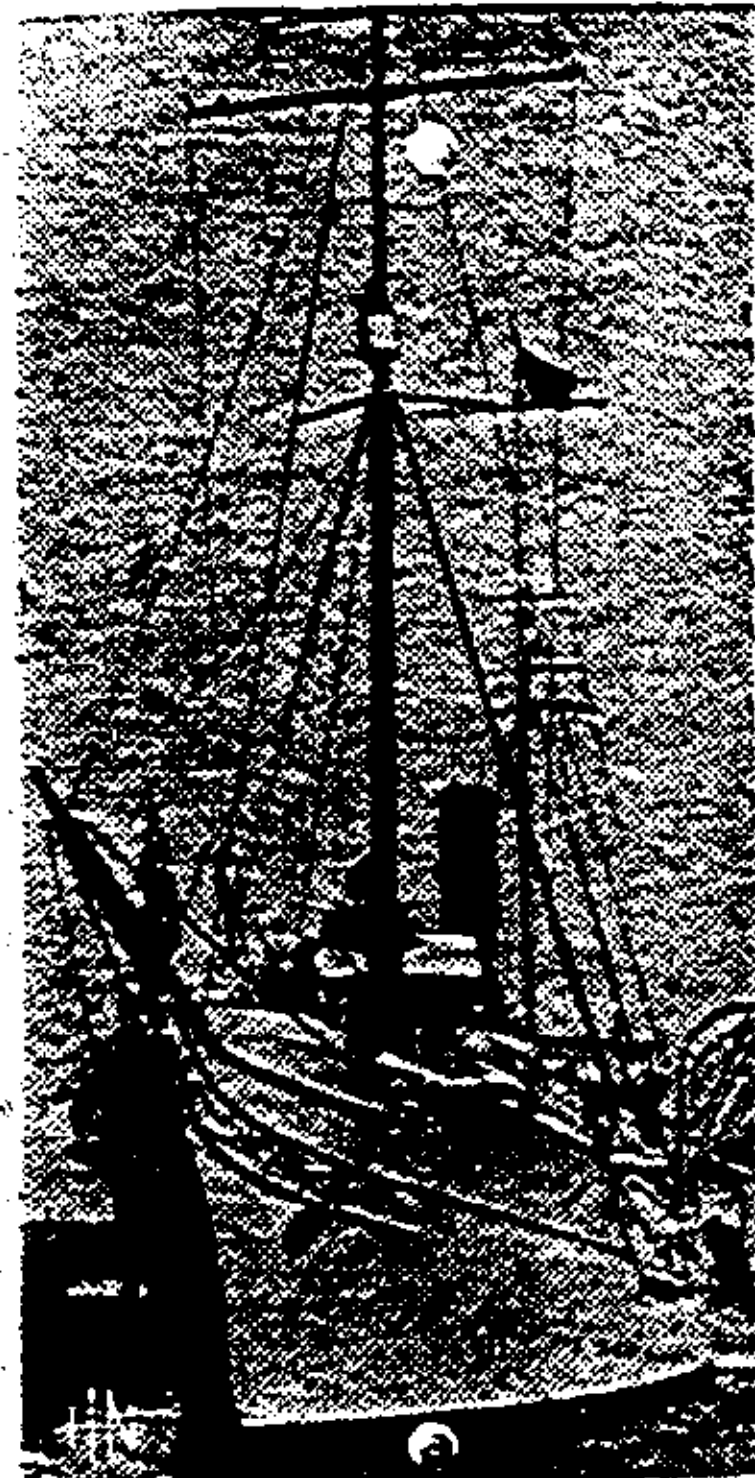
MANY HOUSES IN VICINITY RAZED TO GROUND

Berlin, To-day.

Over 100 people are believed to have been killed in an explosion in the explosive works at Reinsdorf near Wittenberg. All the workshops were destroyed and many houses in the vicinity were demolished, all the window-panes within a radius of several miles being smashed.

Ambulances were engaged for several hours in carrying mutilated bodies and dying workmen from the debris to a hastily erected shed, where Red Cross nurses and doctors from all over the district were gathered for duty.—Reuter.

A later message states that the official report of the Reinsdorf explosion estimates that about 50 people were killed, 73 seriously injured and 300 slightly injured.—Reuter.



The "Mayflower," Presidential yacht for Theodore Roosevelt, Taft, Wilson, and Coolidge, languishes in a New York boat yard for sale at U.S.\$200,000 to anyone who can use the famous vessel discarded by President Hoover.

SINO-JAPANESE

WAR LORDS HOLD

PEIPING MEETING

BUT DETAILS NOT DIVULGED

DIPLOMATS IN U.S. REFUSE TO COMMENT

Peiping, To-day.

The Japanese military command have made contact with the Chinese authorities again. Last evening General Takahashi called on General Ho Ying-chin, acting vice General Ho Ying-chin, but the subject of their discussions was not revealed.—Reuter.

Asked for statements on the Sino-Japanese situation, the Chinese Minister, Dr. Alfred Sze, said: "I regret my inability to express my views on the situation, for I feel that all statements concerning the national policy should come from Nanking," states a Reuter message from Washington.

The Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Saito, said: "I don't think I shall make any statement at this particular moment."

CONFERENCE IN U.S.

Washington, Later.

Dr. Alfred Sze conferred with Mr. William Phillips, Under Secretary of State, but both refused to comment, though it is understood that the conference involved an exchange of information on the situation in North China.—Reuter.

Propagandists At Work In Peiping

Peiping, To-day.

It is believed that political opportunists, such as Shih Yu-san, who is now living in the Japanese concession at Tientsin, are ready to support any scheme which will destroy the authority of Nanking in North China. Handbills denouncing the present regime and suggesting a new administration under Sun Chuan-fang, ex-ally of Chang Tso-lin, are being secretly distributed.

Meanwhile the Japanese military authorities confirm that Japanese planes will fly over Peiping.—Reuter.

INTERPRETER IN TROUBLE

Cheng Hing-n, a 40-year-old Sanitary Department interpreter, appeared before Mr. E. L. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of receiving a bribe of \$50 from Mr. Sang on May 25. At Detective Sub-Inspector Cunningham's request was remanded formally for one week. Mr. H. H. Cole appeared for the defence, and bail of \$750 was allowed.

REPUBLICAN

OBJECTOR HOLDS

UP N.R.A. BILL

50,000 Rail Workers Await Outcome Of Coal Bill

STRIKE ON SUNDAY SEEMS UNAVOIDABLE

Washington, To-day.

The National Recovery Administration Bill was again delayed, when a single Republican objector blocked the immediate approval by the House of Representatives of Wednesday's amendments in the Senate, thus forcing the bill to conference.

Earlier, President Roosevelt indicated his willingness to accept the Senate changes, directing that the voluntary codes, under which the anti-trust laws are suspended, must include collective bargaining, minimum wages and maximum hours, the prohibition of child labour, and unfair trade practices, otherwise the anti-trust laws will be fully effective.

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RUMOURS OF NEW FOREIGN MINISTER TO BE APPOINTED

Press Reports From Canton

REACTIONS TO TROUBLE IN NORTH CHINA

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, To-day. While the South-west faction do not wish to obtrude their views on Sino-Japanese problems, developments in North China are a serious concern here on account of the apprehension that Japan will not be satisfied with her gains until she is in control of the entire country.

It is an irony and paradox that Mr. Akira Arisaka to-day presented his credentials as the first Japanese Ambassador to China, when an ultimatum that China should appoint only pro-Japanese officials for North China expired last night and when the relations of the two countries are strained to the utmost. Such dual roles surprise observers here.

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Wittenberg, later.

The fears that hundreds of employees of the Westphalian Anhalt explosive works at Reinsdorf, three miles from here, were killed in the explosion, now appear to be exaggerated. It seems that of 300 working at the time of the explosion, 200 were accounted for after a systematic search; while many inhabitants of the district fled after the first explosion so as to escape further explosions, the last of which, at 10 p.m., sent bricks and parts of machinery flying over an area of three miles.—Reuter.

ANOTHER VERSION

A Trans-Ocean Service message states that a violent explosion occurred yesterday at 3 p.m. at Reinsdorf near Wittenberg, at the explosives works of the Westphalian Anhaltische Sprengstoff-fabrik, when part of the buildings and plant were badly damaged. The cause of the disaster is not yet known.

After the first detonation fire broke out, which spreading through the buildings, caused further explosions, the last of which occurred at 6 p.m. The seat of the conflagration could not be approached closely until 8 p.m.

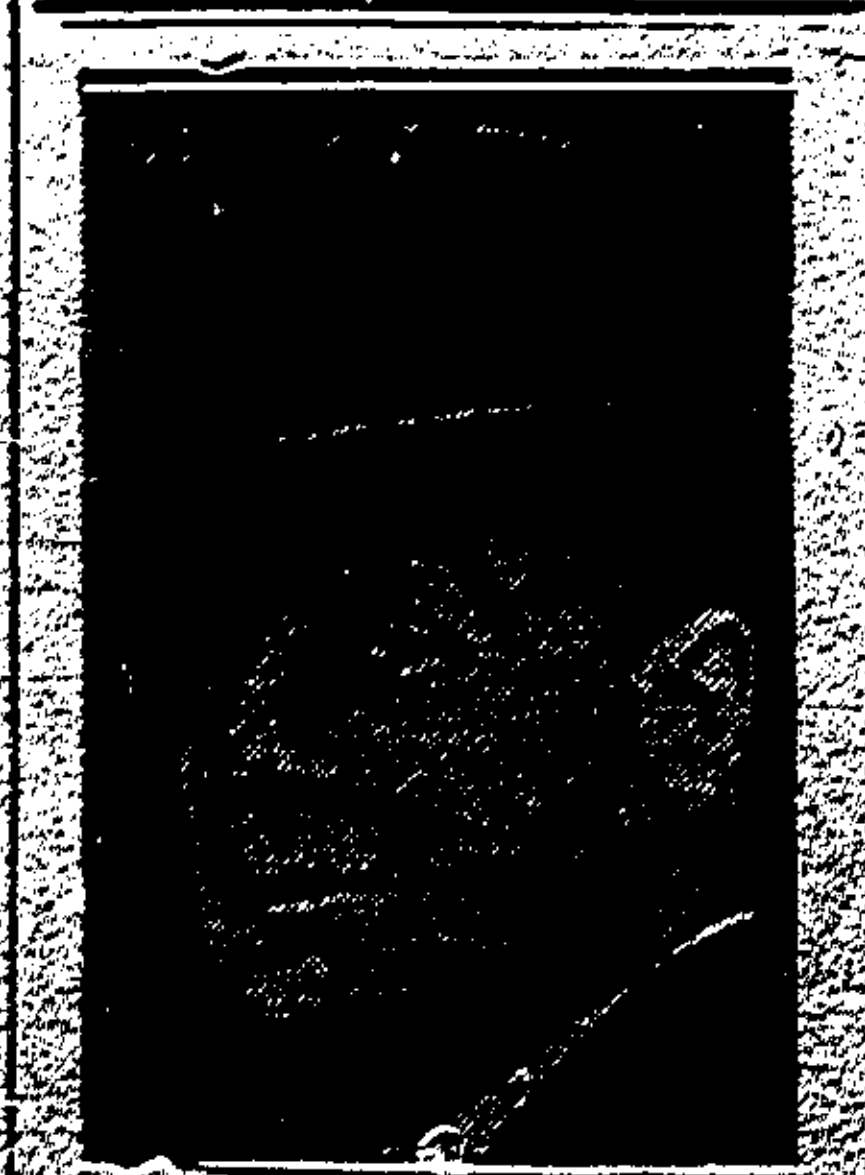
HIGH DEATH ROLL EXPECTED. The exact number of casualties and the extent of the material damage cannot yet be determined. (Continued on Page 11)

HIS MAJESTY RECOVERING

Walks And Drives In Showery Weather

London, To-day.

Despite the showery weather the King spent most of yesterday out of doors walking and driving.—Reuter.



General Jock Maclean, who is the leader of the German Naval Delegation at present in London.

FRANCE-QUERIES GERMAN NAVAL ASPIRATIONS

British And Reich Ratio Examined

REPLY TO LONDON TALKS

Paris, To-day.

France's reply to the British Government's communication regarding the first results of the Anglo-German naval talks, was discussed at length by MM. Laval and Pietri at the Ministry of Marine yesterday.

While the Government's attitude has not yet been determined, it is

RED LEADER SAID KILLED

Chengtu, To-day.

An official statement quotes a Red leader as stating that Mao Tse-tung, their leader, has been killed in battle.—Reuter.

understood that France will not refuse to examine the suggestion that Germany should have 35 per cent. of the British tonnage. At the same time France is anxious that the German re-building should be spread over the longest possible period, in view of Germany's exceptional industrial output capacity.

France also wants to know whether the fixed ratio applies only to the British and German fleets or whether the other naval Powers will be linked up. If Russia begins to build a fleet up to a 35 per cent. ratio of that of the British, will Germany want to build higher? (Continued on Page 5)

GOVER CAUSES WORCESTER'S DOWNFALL

12 For 92 Gives Surrey Second Victory

ROWAN HITS FOURTH CENTURY IN ONE-DAY GAME

Taking 12 wickets for an aggregate of 92 runs, Gover, a promising fast bowler, was responsible for Surrey's 10 wickets victory over Worcester in the County Cricket Championship yesterday.

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Results, as cabled by Reuter were: Surrey beat Worcester by 10 wickets at Worcester. Worcester: 73 (Gover 3 for 24) 270 (Gover 4 for 58) Surrey: 315 for 9 dec. and 20 for 0.

The South Africans beat the Club Cricket Conference XI by 7 wickets at Lord's. Club Cricket Conference: 68. South Africans: 189 for 4 (1st 22nd green).

FLYING CLIPPER SETS NEW RECORD

SAN FRANCISCO TO HONOLULU IN 17 HOURS 58 MINUTES

Honolulu, To-day.

The Pan American Company's giant flying clipper alighted at Pearl Harbour at 12.56 Eastern Standard Time, having flown from San Francisco in 17 hours 58 minutes, bettering her time for the previous flight between these points by 41 minutes.—Reuter.

An earlier message from San Francisco said that the flying clipper was on her way from there on her 4,000 mile flight to Midway Island.

She was making the trip to test her powers in unsettled conditions, and she took off at 3 p.m. knowing that poor weather lay ahead, and would make a short stop at Hawaii.

A wireless from the plane four hours after the start stated that everything aboard was perfect.

KWANGSI GENERAL ON VISIT TO CHIANG

Important Secret Mission

CONSIDERED SIGNIFICANT IN CANTON

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, To-day.

Some significance is attached here to the trip of Lieut-General Yeh Chi Chief of Staff of the Fourth Group (Kwangsi) Army, to Chengtu to see General Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission. General Yeh flew from here to Hankow aboard an Eurasia monoplane, and then boarded another machine to Chengtu.

His mission is believed to be important, but the nature has not been divulged.

It is also significant that General Li Chung-jen, Commander-in-Chief of the Fourth Group Army, is still in Hong Kong. He went there last Saturday to say goodbye to Mr. Hu Han-min, who left for Europe on Sunday. General Li is scheduled to return here this morning.

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VALLEY FOURSOMES FINAL

In the final of the first four-somes played last night at the Valley, A. Sommerfeldt, and Dr. G. H. Burton, beat A. D. Humphreys and Dr. E. P. Humphreys in the 22nd green.

ANTI-BRITISH SENTIMENT IN ROME ABATES

ITALO-ABYSSINIAN DISPUTE

ENGLAND'S MORE RESERVED ATTITUDE

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Rome, To-day.

The anti-British press campaign which has been raging here for the last few weeks has now abated as a result of the somewhat more reserved attitude of England towards the Abyssinian dispute, which is attributed to French influence.

Political circles display satisfaction at this development and take the opportunity to emphasise that the Italian action in Abyssinia is not intended to diminish the British sphere of influence in the Red Sea in any way.

Though there is no doubt that the Italian Government would not refuse to enter into negotiations concerning the limitation of the respective zones of interest in the event of Great Britain refraining from any intervention, no confirmation can be obtained of the rumours, now circulating, to the effect that negotiations are actually taking place, while the report published in the Daily Herald that Italy will denounce the military expedition in return for a concession to build a railway line through part of Abyssinia, as well as other rights, is being sharply denied by the Lavoro Fascista.

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NAVAL TALKS TO BE RESUMED TO-DAY

London, to-day.—The German Delegation, headed by Herr von Ribbentrop, arrived at Croydon by special aeroplane yesterday evening. The Anglo-German naval conversations will be resumed to-day.—British Wireless Service.

MAX BAER BEATEN

BRADDOCK WINS TITLE ON POINTS

Livermore Adonis Not Former Self

EX-DOCKYARD HAND WINS FAME OVERNIGHT

New York, To-day.

James J. Braddock, the former dock labourer who a year ago was receiving the American equivalent to the title, staggered the boxing world last night by outpointing the world champion, Max Baer, over 15 rounds at Madison Square Garden Bowl, Long Island, thus becoming the new heavyweight boxing champion of the world.

Braddock brought off a tremendous long-shot to the great delight of millions of Americans and won fame and a much needed fortune overnight.

ALWAYS A TRIER

Baer was only a shadow of himself, as compared with when he won the title from Carnera. Most of the ringside critics thought that Baer had been painted too brightly and that he was just another heavyweight last night, and that Braddock had proved what they had always said—that "Dummy" Longhairs and Ernie Pischel had done boxer could always beat Baer.

CHALLENGER'S LATE KALTY

Braddock's victory was due to a wonderful late rally, during which he outboxed Baer and made him look far from the terrible fighter he was reputed to be.

Not once did Braddock stop trying; he often forced Baer to the ropes, landing scores of fine blows to the head. His boxing during the last four rounds was much better than Baer's, who throughout appeared over-confident, though he did not clown so much as usual. (Continued on Page 9)

FOREIGN POLICY OF HUNGARY

Strict Continuity Characteristic

PREMIER ON REFORMS OF THE CONSTITUTION

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Budapest, To-day.

Speaking during the discussion on the proposed Empowering Law the Premier, Dr. Goemboes, emphasised that Hungary's foreign policy would in future be characterised by strict continuity and would aim at maintaining the importance of Hungary's role in the Carpathian Basin. Dr. Goemboes then came to speak on the question of the settlement of the succession to the throne. (Continued on Page 11)

WEATHER REPORT

The anticyclone is moving eastward and now covers Japan and the adjacent seas. Pressure remains moderately high over the Pacific to the east of the Philippines. A depression is moving eastward to the south of the Bonins. The depression over south-west China has deepened slightly. The local forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory, this morning, was: south-west winds, moderate, cloudy, local thunder showers.

Sporting Page

C. G. SILVA AND J. CHALMERS LEAD DIVISIONAL SKIPS' TABLES

GUY DISPLACES HOLLAND

BASTO LOSES LEADERSHIP ON OFF DAY

BY severely trouncing B. W. Bradbury's rink last Saturday, C. G. Silva has retained his position at the head of the premier league skips' table. U. M. Omar is still in the second position with a 100 per cent. record, but A. M. Holland, who only managed to force a draw against G. C. Moss, has relinquished his third place to his clubmate, L. Guy.

J. J. Basto did not play last Saturday, and J. Chalmers regained the leadership of the second Division with G. H. Sherriff and G. E. F. Thompson close on his heels.

Two new skips entered the senior list last Saturday—C. E. Marques and J. C. Brown—and both were defeated. The junior list was also increased by three new skips W. Geall, G. Costello, and A. Jackson, and all registered wins.

The following is the complete record of every skip in the 1935 Leagues to date:

First Division Table To Date

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Up	Down	Pts
C. G. Silva (Rec.)	7	6	0	1	205	91	114	0	13
U. M. Omar (C.C.C. "A")	6	6	0	0	147	73	74	0	12
L. Guy (K.B.G.C.)	7	6	1	0	138	110	28	0	11
A. M. Holland (K.B.G.C.)	7	5	1	1	156	109	47	0	11
A. Hyde Lay (K.C.C.)	6	5	1	0	122	120	2	0	10
J. Shepherd (Police)	4	4	0	0	98	62	36	0	8
R. W. Bradbury (C.C.C. "A")	6	4	2	0	142	91	51	0	8
J. McKelvie (K.D.R.C.)	6	4	2	0	120	108	12	0	8
F. X. Silva (Rec.)	7	4	3	0	156	132	24	0	8
R. F. Luz (C.C.C. "A")	3	3	0	0	68	54	14	0	6
A. R. Dallah (I.R.C.)	5	3	2	0	87	98	0	11	6
F. J. Jones (C.S.C.C.)	5	3	2	0	89	101	0	12	6
F. Cullen (K.D.R.C.)	6	3	3	0	120	102	18	0	6
C. S. Rossetti (C.C.C. "B")	6	2	2	2	114	118	0	4	6
E. d'Arcy (C.C.C. "B")	6	2	4	0	120	106	14	0	4
H. A. Alves (Rec.)	6	2	4	0	109	103	6	0	4
J. Cavanagh (C.C.C. "B")	6	2	4	0	112	114	0	2	4
J. Fraser (K.C.C.)	6	2	4	0	99	117	0	13	4
W. E. Hollands (Police)	6	2	4	0	105	125	0	20	4
J. Hollidge (C.S.C.C.)	5	1	3	1	84	121	0	37	3
E. G. Post (Police)	2	1	1	0	30	42	0	12	2
W. Greig (K.D.R.C.)	2	1	1	0	33	50	0	17	2
K. M. Omar (I.R.C.)	2	1	1	0	30	48	0	18	2
R. Bassa (C.C.C. "A")	3	1	2	0	55	58	0	3	2
S. Gray (K.D.R.C.)	3	1	2	0	55	71	0	16	2
W. S. Drake (K.B.G.C.)	3	1	2	0	47	65	0	18	2
A. E. Silstone (K.C.C.)	4	1	3	0	66	56	0	30	2
A. R. Minn (I.R.C.)	5	1	4	0	87	91	0	4	2
A. W. Grimitt (C.S.C.C.)	5	1	4	0	79	115	0	36	2
G. C. Moss (Police)	6	0	5	1	104	134	0	30	1
J. C. Brown (K.B.G.C.)	1	0	1	0	17	21	0	4	0
C. E. Marques (Recreio)	1	0	1	0	13	24	0	11	0
R. Lapaley (K.D.R.C.)	1	0	1	0	15	27	0	12	0
A. M. Wahab (I.R.C.)	1	0	1	0	6	35	0	29	0
A. O. Madar (I.R.C.)	2	0	2	0	36	52	0	16	0
R. P. Phillips (K.C.C.)	2	0	2	0	17	53	0	36	0
H. Nish (K.B.G.C.)	3	0	3	0	49	93	0	44	0

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Second Division Table To Date

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Up	Down	Pts
J. Chalmers (T.D.R.C.)	6	5	0	1	145	97	48	0	11
G. H. Sherriff (K.B.G.C.)	6	5	1	0	147	94	53	0	10
J. J. Basto (Recreio)	6	5	1	0	124	81	43	0	10
G. E. F. Thompson (K.B.G.C.)	6	5	1	0	117	92	25	0	10
W. Way (C.C.C.)	5	4	1	0	115	93	22	0	8
H. Westlake Sr. (C.S.C.C.)	6	4	2	0	132	97	35	0	8
W. Overy (K.C.C.)	6	4	2	0	118	104	14	0	8
T. P. Stainton (T.D.R.C.)	7	4	3	0	126	128	0	8	8
A. F. Paul (K.B.G.C.)	7	4	3	0	123	128	0	8	8
G. H. Stewart (T.D.R.C.)	7	4	3	0	129	138	0	8	8
A. E. Smith (Police)	7	3	3	1	138	132	6	0	7
J. P. Robinson (K.C.C.)	4	3	1	0	84	80	4	0	6
H. H. Rose (K.B.G.C.)	5	3	2	0	99	70	29	0	6
G. Logan (Police)	5	3	2	0	94	102	0	8	6
A. Macfarlane (H.K.F.C.)	5	3	2	0	83	98	0	15	6
A. Brooksbank (H.K.F.C.)	6	3	3	0	111	111	0	0	6
A. Ward (C.C.C.)	6	3	3	0	109	113	0	4	6
F. X. Soares (Recreio)	7	3	4	0	132	123	9	0	6
W. B. Musket (H.K.F.C.)	7	3	4	0	134	144	0	10	6
E. Remedios (Recreio)	3	2	1	0	73	53	20	0	4
J. W. Bonnar (H.K.F.C.)	6	2	4	0	106	123	0	17	4
R. E. Manghan (H.K.F.C.)	6	2	4	0	98	135	0	37	4
W. Glendinning (Police)	7	2	5	0	131	143	0	12	4
A. Webster (H.K.F.C.)	7	1	5	1	117	144	0	27	3
H. Hampton (K.C.C.)	1	1	0	0	26	16	10	0	2
J. Watson (T.D.R.C.)	1	1	0	0	26	17	9	0	2
G. Costello (H.K.F.C.)	1	1	0	0	22	15	6	0	2
A. Jackson (H.K.F.C.)	1	1	0	0	20	14	6	0	2
A. H. Basto (Recreio)	1	1	0	0	23	20	3	0	2
L. A. Luck (C.S.C.C.)	1	1	0	0	20	17	3	0	2
W. Geall (K.C.C.)	1	1	0	0	18	17	1	0	2
W. McHardy (Police)	1	1	0	0	16	15	1	0	2
H. Rosario (Recreio)	2	1	1	0	44	32	12	0	2
R. Basto (Recreio)	2	1	1	0	39	39	0	0	2
Y. Abbas (C.C.C.)	2	1	1	0	38	44	0	6	2
L. E. Lammer (K.C.C.)	2	1	1	0	36	47	0	11	2
D. Fernando (C.C.C.)	3	1	2	0	62	54	8	0	2
J. M. Lack (K.C.C.)	3	1	2	0	42	70	0	28	2
A. O. Brawn (C.S.C.C.)	4	1	3	0	77	79	0	2	2
J. Russell (H.K.F.C.)	5	1	4	0	80	111	0	31	2
R. R. Davies (C.S.C.C.)	7	1	6	0	119	142	0	23	2
C. Strange (C.S.C.C.)	3	0	2	1	57	73	0	16	1
F. L. Rapley (K.B.G.C.)	1	0	1	0	16	17	0	1	0
N. M. Currie (H.K.F.C.)	1	0	1	0	18	20	0	2	0
A. A. Lewis (C.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	15	21	0	6	0
G. S. Alexander (Police)	1	0	1	0	14	22	0	8	0
L. C. R. Sousa (C.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	15	26	0	11	0
C. J. Treach (K.C.C.)	2	0	2	0	31	39	0	8	0
T. Carr (K.C.C.)	2	0	2	0	23	47	0	24	0
J. L. Shalhoub (H.K.F.C.)	5	0	5	0	87	127	0	54	0

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RECREIO POTENTIAL BOWLS CHAMPIONS

POLICE UNLUCKY TO LOSE TO BOWLING GREEN

GRIMMITT'S RINK STOPS THE "ROT": McKELVIE'S GOOD EFFORT

(By "Skip")

THE match between the Recreio and Craigen-gower "A" last Saturday was a drab affair at the beginning, one or two of the players on both sides being over anxious. Omar followed out the old idea of having a bowl placed alongside that of an opponent's as a safety measure; this is a policy which is utilised in International matches at Home and it has always been found that this method successfully keeps down the score. It leaves the skips to fight out the issue and confines the shots collected at each head to one or two at the most, but only very competent exponents can make full use of it.

Luz was up against old friends and was responsible for some brilliant shots. He saved his side at quite 80 per cent. of the heads where the count was against him.

F. X. SILVA, HIS OPPONENT, WAS ASKED TO PLAY THE DIFFICULT HAND TOO OFTEN, AS THE OTHER HAND WAS BLOCKED. THIS WAS UNFORTUNATE, AND IT TOLD ITS OWN TALE AT THE END—HE FINISHED ONE DOWN, BUT MIGHT HAVE BEEN ABOUT 5 UP.

Bradbury's task was a difficult one. To expect him to beat C. G. Silva on the latter's present form was really expecting too much. It is highly improbable that there is a rink engaged in League bowls to-day who will find themselves able to accomplish it, especially on the Recreio green.

As in many other matches, Silva's competent bowling, together with the splendid aid he received from Noronha and Ribeiro won the day for the Portuguese, although they left it almost too late—they were down when each rink was playing the last head—but producing an extra special effort they succeeded in collecting a sufficient number of shots to give them a winning margin of two. F. X. Silva and C. E. Marques collected 4 each, while C. G. Silva lost 1.

While the Recreio are covering themselves with glory, their near neighbours, the Kowloon Cricket Club are in dire straits.

Very Fine Performance

The heavy defeat of R. P. Phillips and his men by A. R. Minn's I.R.C. four last Saturday was astonishing, and while it constituted a very fine performance on the part of the Indian skip and his units, it failed to explain the evident weakness which apparently developed in the K.C.C. four. That the rink which R. P. Phillips's skips will yet prove of great service to the K.C.C., is not only my belief, but the unchangeable conviction of many other bowls enthusiasts.

Hyde-Lay, N. Bebbington, R. G. Craig, and E. Kern, after a fine struggle, won. Hyde-Lay is slowly, but surely working his way to the top of the skip's list, and he will surprise no one if he gains his objective.

The inclusion of W. Hyde in the K.C.C. team would be most beneficial.

In the meanwhile, it should be noted, that the I.R.C. team are moving very quietly. They have secured 4 points out of 5 matches, while teams who are estimated to be much more talented, are still pointless.

Grimitt's Rink Wins

The Kowloon Docks have J. McKelvie to thank for pulling them through against the Civil Service. J. Kempton, E. Morrison and V. Hast were his assistants.

For the first time this year A. W. Grimitt's rink was in winning vein. Grimitt found the long lane had a turning after all, and it was most pleasing to find A. O. Brawn giving him every aid. Fred Jones failed to obtain the better of J. McKelvie. This is the first time in five weeks that Jones has been defeated.

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RUMJAHN AND ARCULLI GAME POSTPONED

The encounter between D. Rumjahn and E. d'Arculli in the Second Round of the Colony Bowls Singles Championship, which was to have been played on the Civil Service green yesterday, has been postponed until Monday.



A photograph taken during the game between the Yacht Club and the Football Club last Saturday. (L. to R.) G. Stephens, A. T. Hamilton, I. Russell, W. Cornell, and P. Morgan—(King's Studio).

WOODEN SPOONISTS CLASH



J. S. Dimmen about to deliver his wood while T. W. Carr and R. C. Butler look on during the match between the K.C.C. and the Electric last Saturday—(King's Studio).

Omar Extended By Perkins

EXCELLENT RECOVERY FROM 7TH HEAD

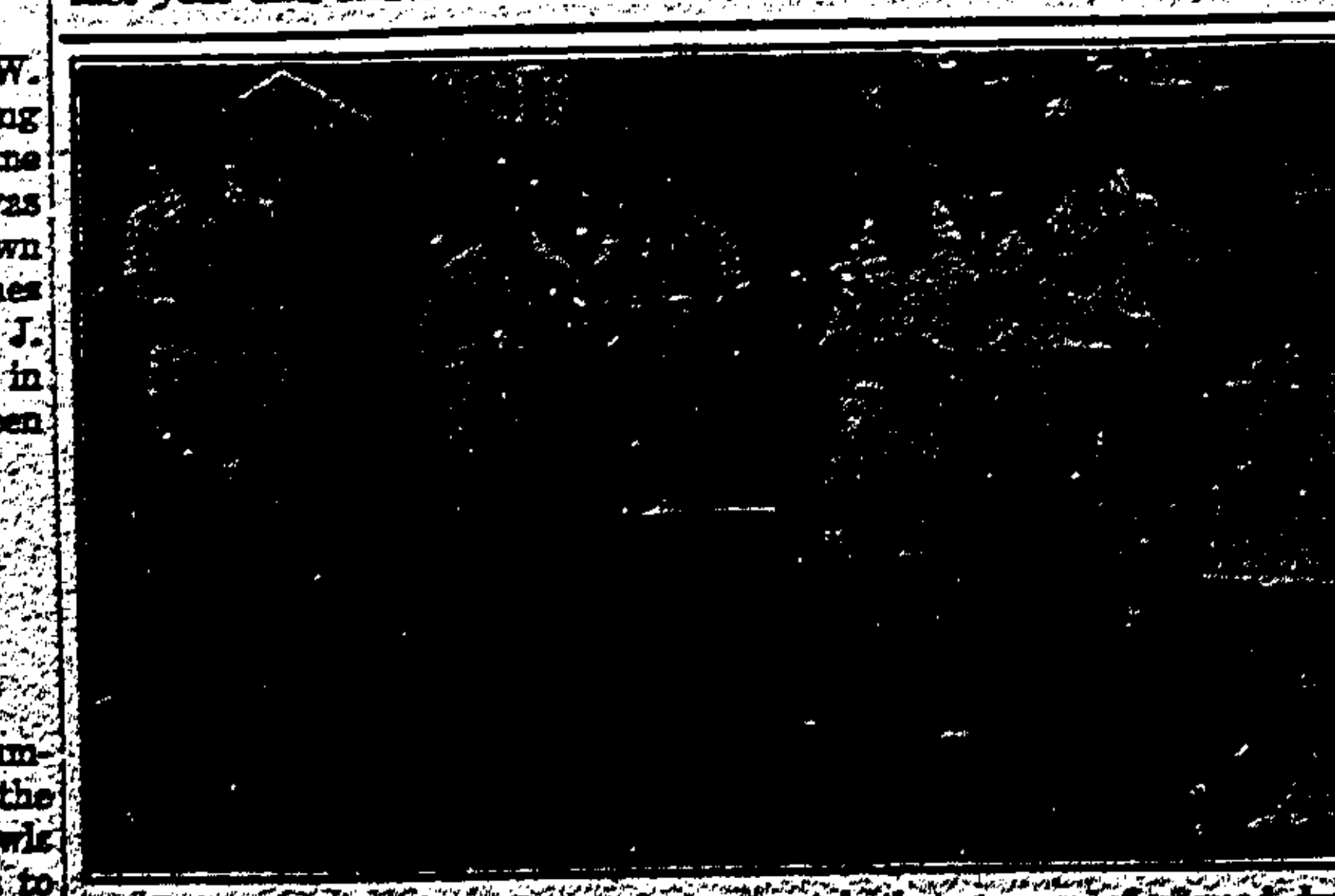
On the Tai Koo R.C. green yesterday, U. M. Omar beat G. Perkins by 6 shots in the Second Round of the Open Singles Lawn Bowls Championship.

Head	U. M. Omar	G. Perkins
1	0	1
2	2	2
3	3	5
4	1	6
5	2	8
6	3	11
7	0	11
8	0	11
9	0	11
10	0	11
11	0	11
12	0	11
13	2	13
14	0	13
15	2	15
16	0	15

"SKIP'S" FORECAST FOR TO-MORROW

FIRST DIVISION	SECOND DIVISION
POLICE R.C. (42)	CRAIGENGOWER "A" (84)
KOWLOON C.C. (55)	CIVIL SERVICE (61)
KOWLOON DOCKS (44)	RECREIO (63)
CRAIGENGOWER "B" (—)	INDIAN R.C. (—)
CRAIGENGOWER (67)	POLICE R.C. (54)
CIVIL SERVICE (50)	KOWLOON C.C. (53)
CLUB DE RECREIO (—)	TAIKOO DOCK (—)
H. K. ELECTRIC (59)	YACHT CLUB (52)
KOWLOON B.G.C. (67)	FOOTBALL CLUB (43)

Figures in brackets denote the result of the corresponding fixture last year and underlined teams are favoured to win.



Police and Bowls Green players watch the progress of a wood during their junior league encounter at the Valley last Saturday. (L. to R.) W. Cameron, L. Glendinning, D. W. Waterman, G. H. Sherriff, and A. W. Smith—(King's Studio).



A group photograph taken during the match between the Civil Service Juniors and Tai Koo last Saturday. L. to R. are T. Armstrong, W. Cunningham, M. Purvis, and F. Pattinson—(King's Studio).

SHERRIFF WINS BUT NOT SEEN AT HIS BEST

Williams Nearly Catches Up

LOSER'S WRONG TACTICS

(By "SKIP")

G. H. Sherriff, one of the Bowling Green's most promising players, after leading B. Williams by 19 shots to 3 in their Second Round open singles bowls encounter on the Craigen-gower green yesterday, fell away badly on the 13th head to allow Williams to score 9 shots before he finally managed to win.

Sherriff's play was so poor at one stage of the game that most of the spectators would not have been surprised to see the Civil Service bowler vanquish his more experienced opponent.

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Head	G. H. Sherriff	B. Williams
1	2	0
2	1	0
3	2	0
4	2	0
5	0	1
6	1	0
7	1	0
8	2	0
9	0	1
10	1	0
11	2	0
12	4	0
13	0	9
14	0	19
15	1	20
16	0	20
17	0	20
18	0	20
19	0	20
20	3	23

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LACK OF PRACTICE CAUSES DEFEAT OF C.B.A.

CRAIGENGOWER WIN "C" DIVISION TENNIS OVER-EAGER DISPLAY BY HOME PLAYERS

LOCK AND E. B. HAMSON SHINE

LACK of practice among the players and poor understanding were factors responsible for the defeat of the Central British Association by 6½ sets to 2½ in their "C" Division League Lawn Tennis encounter against the Craigen-gower Cricket Club yesterday at King's Park.

It was evident from the start, that the players were unused to each other's methods of play, and many games were lost at vital stages of the match.

H. ANGUS AND T. WHITLEY WERE THE PICK OF THE HOME TEAM BUT HERE AGAIN A LACK OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THEM RESULTED IN THEIR DEFEAT AT THE HANDS OF THE VISITORS' WEAKEST PAIR, THE BROTHERS L. AND G. CHOA.

C. L. Gregory and J. J. King were last season and in many instances by no means an ideal pair, the former being over-impetuous in his efforts to outdrive his opponents, while King's overhead work was not impressive.

Best C.B.A. Pair

Gurevitch and J. Smith were the most successful home pair, thanks to the latter, whose steadiness often pulled the partnership out of a rut.

Gurevitch excelled on occasion at the net, but his placements were very poor. He seemed to lose all sense of direction and more often than not placed the ball to an opponent.

Smith was quite sound in his volleying and smashing, while his recoveries in the face of smashes were excellent.

Gurevitch Deteriorates

Gurevitch seems to have deteriorated within the last six months or so and is nothing like his former self. He lacks the confidence he displayed all through

Lock And Hamson Shine

Lock and Hamson were the best pair on view, the latter being very dangerous with excellent drives down the side-lines, while his smashing from all parts of the court was a revelation. Lock gave him excellent support, particularly from the baseline, where he featured in many driving duels. He has a good length, but there is room for improvement in his half-volleys and overhead work.

The Choa brothers, "L" and "G", made their debut together and proved a sound partnership. G. Choa could improve his service, which is his weakest point, but he is sound elsewhere.

Impressive Left-Hander

L. Choa, a left-handed player, was very steady, and this, coupled with a good forehand and clever lobbing, often badly rattled the opposition and forced them into errors.

Scores were—
J. J. King and C. L. Gregory (C.B.A.)—
lost to S. A. Cassumbhoy and O. Sadick..... 0-6
lost to L. Choa and G. Choa..... 2-6
lost to T. Lock and E. B. Hamson..... 2-6
G. Gurevitch and J. Smith (C.B.A.)—
beat Cassumbhoy and Sadick..... 7-5
beat Choa and Choa..... 6-3
lost to Lock and Hamson..... 4-6
T. Whitley and H. Angus (C.B.A.)—
lost to Cassumbhoy and Sadick..... 2-6
lost to Choa and Choa..... 2-6
drew with Lock and Hamson..... 6-6

L.R.C. DEFEATED
BY SOUTH CHINA
IN "C" DIVISION

CHAN AND LAU WIN
COMFORTABLY

CHINESE MAKE IMPRESSIVE
LEAGUE DEBUT

At King's Park yesterday, the South China Athletic Association made an auspicious debut in the "C" Division of the Lawn Tennis League when they defeated the Indian Recreation Club by 7 sets to 2.

H. K. Chan and C. L. Lan, the South China third string, caused a surprise by winning all three of their encounters and only conceding one game!

Scores were—
W. T. Lee and S. Chan (S.C.A.A.)—
lost to M. P. Mader and A. Rahmin..... 5-7
beat T. Hamet and A. R. Abbas..... 5-7
beat A. K. Ismail and A. R. Saffad..... 6-3
C. H. Ung and W. C. Lee (S.C.A.A.)—
beat Mader and Rahmin..... 7-5
lost to Hamet and Abbas..... 1-7
beat Ismail and Saffad..... 2-6
H. K. Chan and C. L. Lan (S.C.A.A.)—
beat Mader and Rahmin..... 6-3
beat Hamet and Abbas..... 6-3
beat Ismail and Saffad..... 6-3

"C" DIVISION TABLE TO DATE

P W L D F A Pts
C.C.C. 3 2 0 1 18 9
K.C.C. 2 2 0 8 14 4
A.T.C. 2 2 0 8 12 6
C.B.A. 1 1 0 8 10 2
S.C.A.A. 2 1 0 8 7 2
S.C.A. 2 1 0 8 7 2
K.T.C. 2 1 1 1 11 11
I.R.C. 4 3 1 12 24
C.B.A. 3 0 3 1 7 26
H.K.T.C. 1 0 1 9 2 7



Yankee big guns will boom on the American Baseball League front led by Gehrig (left), and Selkirk (right), the men who will try to make New York fans forget Babe Ruth. Vernon Gomez (top), is shaping up to his best form to mow down opposing batters.

GOLF NOTES

(By "NIBLICK")

IN the quarter finals of the Kowloon Golf Club's Open Foursomes, Chariton and Murphy scrambled home against Hirst and Whitley on the last green, the final score reading one up. Geall and Paterson fell to Woolley and Barry by the margin of 3 and 2.

THE SUMMER CUP

FIRST round results in the Summer Cup were as follows:—
Abern beat Dennis 2 and 1.
King beat Borne 4 and 3.
Wilson beat Collings one up.
McKellie beat Henderson two up.
Eastman beat Barry one up.
Thomson beat Stewart one up.
Chariton beat Anderson one up.
Mundy beat Geall 4 and 2.

The handicap committee are to be congratulated on the evidence of their work: half the matches concluded with a single hole margin which speaks volumes for the efficacy of the handicap system adopted at the commencement of the current season.

THE BRONZE TROPHY

THE Joint Council of the Order of St. John and the British Red Cross have produced a very fine statuette of a golfer for competition among members of Clubs all over the world. The form of competition is 18 holes medal play on handicap, with an entrance fee for each card and entries unlimited; the total proceeds are given to the Joint Council.

Last year, the competition, held over August and September, resulted in a sum of just over £10 being remitted home, and a noble sum indeed to a noble cause.

I understand that this year's trophy will be played on the same lines over the same period, and I would appeal to all members to take out at least one card; it may be the means of procuring a very handsome bronze figure with the added knowledge that the entrance fee will be sent in its entirety to a worthy institution.

ROYAL HONG KONG GOLF CLUB

Two New Life Members
Elected

INCREASED PRIVILEGES FOR VISITORS

Included in the special business transacted by an Extraordinary General meeting of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club held last evening at the board room of Messrs. Jardine Matheson and Co., Ltd., by kind permission of the company, was the election to Honorary Life Membership of the Club of the Mr. J. D. Kinnaird and Mr. C. D. Lambert.

This was rendered possible by the carrying at the meeting of a proposed amendment to the Articles of the Club allowing the number of Life Members to be increased from 6 to 10.

The Captain of the Club, Mr. S. H. Dodwell, presided, and was supported by the members of the committee and Lt-Col. E. D. Matthews, Secretary.

Chairman's Tribute

In proposing the election of Mr. Kinnaird to honorary life membership, the Chairman said:

The first of these new proposed Life Members is Mr. J. D. Kinnaird, who has for many years done yeoman service on the General Committee and as Convenor of the Happy Valley Sub-Committee and Father of the Junior Section. In the latter capacity especially Mr. Kinnaird has had a great deal of work and has had to exercise much tact and fatherly care. Your Committee feel confident that you will be as unanimous as they are in wishing to recognise his valuable services to the Club by electing him a Life member.

The motion was seconded by Mr. E. S. Archbutt and carried unanimously amid applause.

In making the similar proposal with regard to Mr. C. D. Lambert, the Chairman said:

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V.R.C. GALA HEATS DECIDED

E. M. MARQUES WINS THE BREAST STROKE EVENT

THE first swimming gala of the Victoria Recreation Club will probably provide an excellent evening's sport to-morrow night, as the acceptance of the Chinese swimming clubs to participate in the invitation events will undoubtedly add further interest to the races.

The Canton Aquatic Sports Club are sending down their three best swimmers, while Chan Chan-king and S. H. Wong will be representing the Chinese Bathing Club. The Chinese Y.M.C.A., the Chinese Athletic, and South China have accepted but have not yet chosen their representatives.

The aquatic gala starts at 9 p.m., following which there will be dancing to music by the Troubadours.

The heats for the members "C" class 50 Yards Handicap and the Boys' 100 Yards Handicap were swum off yesterday. The finishes in all the races were very close and reflect great credit on the work of the handicappers.

E. M. Marques maintained the right to represent the V.R.C. to-morrow when he beat N. Delgado and K. Nazarin comfortably in the 100 Yards Breast Stroke event.

Results of Heats

The following were the results of last night's heats:

50 Yards Free Style Handicap (Members "C" Class):—
First Heat:
1. C. Agabeg.
2. L. A. J. Silva.
Time: 33.3 sec.

Second Heat:
1. E. A. Souza.
2. N. Deitz.
Time: 28.2 sec.

Third Heat:
1. L. M. Remedios.
2. C. F. Eozano.
Time: 30.5 sec.

Fourth Heat:
1. L. A. Boza.
2. A. N. Silva.
Time: 34.4 sec.

100 Yards Free Style Handicap (Open to Boys):—
First Heat:
1. T. Boza.
2. J. Botelho.
Time: 86 sec.

Also swam: L. E. Gutierrez, J. Marquis.
Second Heat:
1. L. M. Remedios.
2. C. Silva-Netto.
Time: 75.4 sec.

Also swam: E. Noronha and E. Maxwell.
Third Heat:
1. P. Remedios.
2. A. Anzo.
Time: 71.5 sec.

Also swam: T. Carvalho.
100 Yards Breast Stroke:—
1. E. M. Marques.
2. N. Delgado.
Also swam: K. Nazarin.

Invitation Entries

The following are the entries for the Invitation events:—
100 Yards Free Style—W. Lawrence (V.R.C.), Chan Chan-king (C.B.C.) and Wong San-san (Canton Aquatic S.C.).
100 Yards Breast Stroke—E. M. Marques (V.R.C.), Chan Chan-king (C.B.C.) and Lau Mee-san (Canton Aquatic S.C.).

Diving—Ed. de Rosa (V.R.C.) and Yan Mee-king (Canton Aquatic S.C.).
Medley Relay Race—W. Lawrence, E. M. Marques and L. Boza-Perreira (V.R.C.), Wong San-san, Lau Mee-san and Yan Mee-king (Canton Aquatic S.C.).

TO-DAY'S SIX "D" DIVISION TENNIS GAMES

Indians Should Improve
Position

EXCITING CLASH BETWEEN
K.F.C. AND R.S.C.

(By "BASE LINE")

Weather permitting the Lawn Tennis League programme will continue this afternoon with six "D" Division games.

The Indian Recreation Club, who are at present leading in the "D" Division, are expected to add another two points to their total when they encounter the Police at Sookunpoo, while South China will probably beat the Kowloon Dockers at Hung Hom.

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K.D.R.C. v S.C.A.A. (Hung Hom)
K.F.C. v Radio S.C. (Chatham Road)
L.E.C. v Police B.C. (Sookunpoo)
C.S.C.C. v Army T.C. (Happy Valley)
K.C.C. v C.R.C. (King's Park)

CHINESE TENNIS ACES WIN

Southern Tourney
First Round

Nashville, Tenn., June 10. Kho Sin-kie of China, Batavian singles champion, to-day defeated Joe Davis of Nashville, 6-1, 6-0 in the initial round of the Southern championship hostilities. Guy Cheng, Kho's doubles partner, won by a default over Bob Bogart of Nashville.

The two Chinese aces came to the United States recently to compete in the North American Zone of the Davis Cup. The Americans, however, eliminated them from further consideration in short order.—United Press.

LAWN BOWLS

(Continued from Page 4)

Bradbury Defeats
Brooksbank

SIX-SHOT VICTORY OVER
22 HEADS

On the Electric R. C. green yesterday B. W. Bradbury beat A. Brooksbank by 6 shots in the Second Round of the Open Single-Lawn Bowls Championship.

Scores:
Head B.W. Bradbury A. Brooksbank
1 4 0 0
2 1 5 0
3 2 7 0
4 0 7 3
5 1 8 0
6 2 10 0
7 2 12 0
8 0 12 1
9 0 12 1
10 0 12 3
11 2 15 0
12 2 17 0
13 0 17 1
14 0 17 1
15 0 17 1
16 2 19 0
17 0 19 1
18 1 20 0
19 0 20 1
20 0 20 1
21 0 20 1
22 1 21 0 15

Medina Trounced
By Alves

LOSES BY 13 SHOTS OVER
16 HEADS

On the Kowloon Cricket Club green yesterday, H. A. Alves, of the Recreation Club, defeated M. J. Medina, of the Craigen-gower Cricket Club, by 13 shots in their Second Round match in the Colony Singles Lawn Bowls Championship. The match was concluded on the 16th head.

Scores:
Head H.A. Alves M.J. Medina
1 1 1 0
2 2 2 0
3 0 3 2
4 0 3 1
5 3 6 0
6 0 6 4
7 2 8 0
8 0 10 0
9 0 10 0
10 3 13 0
11 0 13 1
12 2 15 0
13 1 16 0
14 3 19 0
15 0 19 2
16 2 22 0

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LOCAL DOLLAR UNCHANGED

Silver Prices Steady

The local dollar is steady, opening on demand this morning at 2/4. Silver prices are unchanged, spot being quoted at 32-1/16 and forward at 32-1/16. The London on New York cross-rate was quoted at \$-US\$494%, as compared with \$-US\$493% while the New York on London cross-rate was \$-US\$494% as compared with \$-US\$494%.

EXCHANGES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATION

On London—
 On T.T. and demand 2/4
 4 months' sight 2/4 1/2
 Credits 4 months' sight 2/5 1/2
 On Shanghai—
 On demand 140
 On Singapore—
 On demand 99 1/2
 On Japan—
 On demand 198 1/2
 On India—
 On T.T. and demand 154 1/2
 On New York—
 On demand 57 1/2
 Credits 60 days' sight 60 1/2
 On Batavia—
 On demand 84 1/2
 On Paris—
 On demand 87 1/2
 Credits 4 months' sight 92 1/2
 On Saigon—
 On demand 87
 On Manila—
 On demand 115 1/2
 On Bangkok—
 On demand 79 1/2
 Sovereigns bank buying rate 2/5 1/2
 Bar Silver per oz. 32-1/16
 Bar Silver in Hong Kong nom.
 Copper Cash nom.
 Copper Cents par.
 Rate of Native Interest 3% p.a.
 Chinese Sub. Coin 30% dis.
 Hong Kong Sub Coin par.

LONDON EXCHANGES

London Yesterday.
 Paris 75 1/16
 New York 49 1/4
 Montreal 49 1/4
 Brussels 29 1/2
 Geneva 15 1/2
 Amsterdam 7 1/2
 Milan 60 1/16
 Berlin 12 1/2
 Vienna 26
 Prague 118 1/2
 Madrid 36 3/16
 Athens 517 Sellers
 Shanghai 1/7 13/16
 Hong Kong 2/4 1/2
 Other rates unchanged
 Silver Spot 35%
 Silver Forward 35 1/2
 Warloan 3 1/2% 105%
 —British Wireless Service.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Renter Quotations

The following quotations were received by Renter:
 N.Y. Cotton 49 1/4
 N.Y. Rubber 12 1/2
 C. Wheat July 80% 80%
 C. Corn July 80% 80%
 W. Wheat July 81 1/2% 80%
 STOCKS:
 Amer. Smelting 42 1/2
 Con. Gas N.Y. 23 1/2
 Elec. Bond & Sh. 6 1/2
 General Motors 31 1/2
 Int. Tel. & Tel. 8 1/2
 Loew's Inc. 41 1/2
 Montgomery W. 26 1/2
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 Standard Oil N.J. 48 1/2
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U.S. TREASURY'S SILVER PRICE TO BE MAINTAINED

Morgenthau Answers His Many Critics

SENATE SILVER BLOC TO CONFER TO-DAY

Washington, To-day.
 Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Secretary to the Treasury, said in a conference with the press that in his opinion he had given a very definite answer to Senator McCarran in reply to the latter's request for a statement on silver policy. The Senate silver bloc, however, are still dissatisfied, and have arranged to meet to-day with a view to discussing further action.
 Mr. Morgenthau denied that there had been any curtailment in foreign purchases, as might be interpreted by the drop in foreign buying from April to May. He said that the policy of the past few months had been governed solely by supply and demand.—Reuter.
 A later message states that Mr. Morgenthau said that the Treasury's silver price will be maintained, despite the drop in the world price.—Reuter.

GERMAN AGREEMENT WITH HOLLAND

Covering Transfer Of Payments

ALL EARLIER DIFFICULTIES SUCCESSFULLY OVERCOME

CHINA MAIL SPECIAL.
 The Hague, To-day.
 Smart work was performed here when the delegates of Germany and Holland, who had met to arrange the new agreement as regards the transfer of payments between the two countries, began the discussion in the morning and finished in the evening with the object in view achieved. The lengthy deliberations held recently in Berlin proved abortive mainly because the Dutch delegates, on a question of principle, took exception to certain conditions demanded by Germany and refused to consider any compromise. After having had time for reflection both sides made proposals for overcoming the difficulty.
 The formal signature of the new agreement will take place in the near future.—Trans-Ocean Service.

COMMODITY PRICES

The following quotations have been received by Renter.

Prev. Yesterday Closing Closing
 New York Cotton:
 July 11.48 11.47
 October 11.16 11.16
 December 11.18 11.21
 Jan. (1936) 11.20 11.23
 March 11.28 11.28
 May 11.37 11.34
 Spot 11.80 11.80
 New York Rubber:
 July 12.85 12.81
 September 12.98 12.91
 December 13.16 13.12
 January 13.23 13.20
 March 13.38 13.35
 Chicago Wheat:
 July 80 1/2 79
 September 81 1/2 79 1/2
 December 83 1/2 81 1/2
 Chicago Corn:
 July 89 1/2 79 1/2
 September 74 1/2 73
 December 62 1/2 60 1/2
 Winnipeg Wheat:
 July 81 1/2 80 1/2
 New York Sugar:
 No. 1 No. 3 No. 1 No. 3
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 July 242 240 243 241
 Sept. 248 244 248 245
 Dec. 254 247 254 248
 Jan. (1936) 238 1/2 238 238 1/2 231
 Mar. 230 230 230 233
 New York Silk:
 July 135 1/2 134
 September 134 132 1/2
 December 132 1/2 132
 Montreal Silver:
 July 73.55 73.40
 September 74.05 73.84
 December 75.10 74.89
 January 75.30 75.10

BANDITS LOOT TEMPLES

Armed bandits are reported to have looted the temples in Chienhai where the devotees have been especially generous to the priest-hood guarding the deities.

BERLIN STOCK MARKET SHARE PRICES ON THE EBB

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET Caution Recommended

RAILS AND INDUSTRIALS AT NEW HIGH AVERAGES

CHINA MAIL SPECIAL.
 Berlin, To-day.
 The prices of shares were distinctly on the ebb yesterday. Little stock came on to the market, but the demand was still smaller. Metallurgicals were weaker and electricals firmer. The business in fixed interest securities was very restricted, but prices held up well. Gold mortgage bonds recovered about half a point. Call money was at 3 1/4 to 3 1/2.—Trans-Ocean Service.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET Caution Recommended

RAILS AND INDUSTRIALS AT NEW HIGH AVERAGES

In their market report, Messrs. S. E. Levy and Company, correspondents for Messrs. White, Weld and Company, New York, state:—
 "Stocks:—We think that the advance to new high levels in rail and industrial averages calls for trading caution. Business done:—\$60,000 shares.
 "Grains:—The market declined as liquidation continues. Short interest is believed to be unimportant. Anticipation of hedge pressure, favourable crop news and fears of insufficient storage space, which is likely to force cheap Canadian exports, are strengthening bearish sentiment. Total sales: Wheat—23,252,000 bushels; Corn—7,042,000 bushels.
 "Cotton:—There is less pressure and some price-firming is in evidence. The rainfall in Texas is undesirable.
 "Rubber:—Dealers and London interests were the best buyers. We anticipate higher prices and recommend purchases of rubber now. Total sales:—194 lots.
 "Flash:—Brokers' Loans during the past week are estimated at \$364,000,000.

Latest Quotations

The following quotations have been received by Renter.
 Prev. To-day's Close Close
 N.Y. London:
 cross-rate 49 1/4 49 1/4
 N.Y. Cotton—July 11.48 11.47
 N.Y. Rubber—July 12.85 12.81
 N.Y. Corn—July 89 1/2 79 1/2
 Chicago Corn—July 80 1/2 79
 Montreal Silver—Dec. 73.55 73.40
 Silver Official—Dec. 75.10 74.89
 Dow Jones Averages:
 30 Industrials 117.14 117.28
 20 Rails 32.41 32.45
 20 Utilities 20.65 20.65
 40 Bonds 95.87 95.90
 11 Commodity Index 56.40 55.92
 Business Done:—\$60,000 shares.

EMPIRE EXHIBITION FOR S. AFRICA

Strongly Supported By Government

An Empire Exhibition, which will include a comprehensive industrial section, will be held in Johannesburg from September, 1936, to January, 1937.
 The Exhibition has the approval and strong financial support of the Government of the Union of South Africa, while the City of Johannesburg, which is to hold its jubilee celebrations at the same time, has given a guarantee equal to the Government grant.
 An excellent site has been secured in the grounds of the Witwatersrand Agricultural Society, which lie within five minutes of the centre of the City and are provided with their own railway station and sidings.
 It is intended that the industrial buildings should cover 500,000 sq. ft., possibly more, and be divided between eight trade groups covering heavy machinery and mining and engineering, light machinery and hardware, agricultural machinery and accessories, foodstuffs, etc., sport and luxury articles, and aircraft.

BERLIN QUOTATIONS

Berlin, To-day.—Reichsmark quotations (without guarantee) are:—
 New York, 40.35; Paris, 613; Amsterdam, 59.65; and London, 22.25. The Paris sterling quotation is 74.93, and the dollar, 15.15.—Trans-Ocean Service.

MONETARY AFFAIRS IN THE FAR EAST

U.S. CO-OPERATION WITH CHINA

POSSIBILITY OF ECONOMIC ADVISERS BEING SENT

Washington, To-day.
 The possibility of United States co-operation in the survey of China's financial and monetary affairs has not been turned down by Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State.

Asked whether the United States would follow the lead of Britain and France and send economic observers to China, he replied that the State Department might have given its attention to the matter, but he emphasized that no decision with regard to a definite move had yet been taken.—Reuter.

A later message states that American co-operation in the survey of Chinese financial and monetary affairs, including the silver question, became a possibility when Mr. Cordell Hull said that the State Department might give the question its attention. The statement was made in answer to a press enquiry as to whether the United States might follow the lead of Great Britain and France in sending economic observers to China.

Mr. Hull emphasized that while the matter was discussed informally, no definite move had been made and no decision had been reached.—Reuter.

BRITISH ALUMINIUM COMPANY

SHORT SHOTS

W. S. (Woody) van Dyke's marriage came as a surprise to Hollywood. He recently married a society belle from New Orleans, Miss Ruth Mannix. This is his second venture. At present he is considered one of the top directors.

Grace Moore will sing the most popular arias from "La Bohème" in her next film.

The rumour still persists in Hollywood that "Uncle" Carl Laemmle desires to sell the Universal Studio, but William Randolph Hearst is desirous of producing his Cosmopolitan Pictures there, and Warners are pestering Laemmle to sell it.

Alexander Hall, who was the "cutter" in the Mae West films, is now her director in "Go in to Town."



Mary Astor is featured in "The Case of the Howling Dog," which will be screened at the Alhambra Theatre on Sunday.

Mabel Wayne, who wrote such hits as "Ramona," "It Happened in Monterey," "In a Little Spanish Town," "Little Man, you've had a busy day," and "Who made little Boy Blue?", has written "Valparaiso" for "Dance Band," the new British film in which Buddy Rogers is starring.

Mona Barrie is again with Gilbert Roland in the Fox film "Ladies Love Danger."

Ross Alexander, who did so well in "Flirtation Walk," is being so highly praised for his work (so far unreleased) in "Midsummer Night's Dream" that he is being featured now with Joan Blondell and Glenda Farrell in "Serve 'Em Right."

Katharine Hepburn will enact the leading role in Compton Mackenzie's story "Sylvia Scarlett," which starts in 1900 and runs down to the present day.

Mae Clark is again on the screen with Neil Hamilton and James Dunn in a Fox film.

Rochelle Hudson will play "Ramona" alone in the silents by Dolores del Rio.

Ronald Colman will most likely do a picture of the Gay Nineties when he finished "A Tale of Two Cities." Brian Aherne is now being tested for a part in this super production and Colman still refuses to play the double role.

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"THE MIGHTY BARNUM" BOTH COLOURFUL AND HUMOROUS THRILLS AND PERFECT PORTRAYALS IN "THE WHOLE TOWN'S TALKING"

GREAT LINE-UP OF FILMS PROMISED AT ALHAMBRA

By Diane

The Star

"The Life of Vergie Winters," Louis Bromfield's story of a lingering illicit love sacrificed to a political career. Anne Harding and John Boles both try hard, but utterly fail to be convincing.

Followed by a delightful performance from Elissa Landi in "Enter Madame." The singing off stage by the Metropolitan Opera Star Nina Koshetz is specially well managed. This part was originally intended for Grace Moore, but her concert contract forbade her acceptance. Naturally she would not have needed a double for the operatic arias. Cary Grant, Lynne Overman, Sharon Lynne and Frank Albertson all help to make this a really diverting and amusing comedy.



Edward G. Robinson and Jean Parker are appearing in one of the brightest pictures of the season, "The Whole Town's Talking," showing from tomorrow at the Queen's Theatre.

"Now and Forever" follows, starring the miracle-child Shirley Temple with Gary Cooper and Carole Lombard.

Henry Hathaway, the director, did a great piece of work in "Lives of a Bengal Lancer," but he cannot direct Shirley, and consequently in this rather conventional picture she does the only "child-actress" work of her career. Still, being a Shirley Temple picture, it should prove an attraction. (Star).

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EDWARD G. Robinson is at his best in "The Whole Town's Talking." The story tells of a cringing little book-keeper whose one remarkable characterisation is a facial resemblance to an escaped murderer whose picture is on all the front pages.

The nightmare train of events into which the circumstance plunges "Bookkeeper Jones" starts when the police arrest him and smilingly release him with a safe-conduct to prevent his being molested in the future. "Jones" returns to his dingy room to find "Murderer Manion" waiting to steal the safe-conduct badge and use "Jones" as a decoy.

I won't attempt to tell more of the exciting plot and I could not begin to tell of the superlative qualities contained in this outstanding "Columbia" release.

Scenarist Bob Riskin (winner of the year's award) with Jo Swerling aided by Director John Ford, the star Edward G. Robinson and a super cast combine to make this a picture about which the whole town should talk.

E. G. Robinson has never done greater work and does not miss a trick in the dual role packed with sinister and light comedy points. Whether as "Jones" or "Public Enemy No. 1" this sterling actor takes every opportunity to score.

Etienne Girardot and Donald Meek (as the busybody responsible for "Jones" troubles) are deserving too of the highest praise. Jean Arthur, who has done so well of late on the stage in New York, turns in easily her best screen performance.

The film is packed with thrills, excitement and perfect portrayals. Don't miss "The Whole Town's Talking." (Queen's).

"Hellorado"

Fantastic and unreal maybe, but an interesting story very well acted by a band of favourite players, Dick Arlen, Ralph Bellamy, Madge Evans, H. B. Walthall, Jimmy Gleason, Stepin Fetchit and others. Those concerned in the adventures find themselves in "Hellorado", a mining town haunted by vanished glories and with but one lonely inhabitant—H. B. Walthall, who is ridden by hallucinations.

This Jesse Lasky production presents all one could ask for in suspense, dramatic episodes and swell comedy, with convincing character studies from the principals.

The idea behind the story is distinctly novel, but somehow the Director rather lets things down at the finish. Quite worth seeing. (King's).

"Bachelor Of Art"

A "spoilt young man makes good" story with American co-ed background.

Tom Brown is a wealthy young man at college who finds himself in many scrapes through lack of will power. Lovely Anita Louise, the sweet young thing working through college, does the reforming.

As no real acting is demanded from anyone the cast, which comprises such well known people as George Meeker, Mae Marsh, Henry B. Walthall, Arline Judge, Frank Albertson and Bertton Churchill, find no difficulty in contributing their best with limited material. (Queen's).

Alhambra Attractions

First and foremost will be "Mississippi," starring Bing Crosby, W. C. Fields and Joan Bennett, which has everything that goes to make a hit. Booth Tarkington's story has been beautifully produced and what with new numbers and those of the "South," which still stand supreme, such as "Swanee River," you will admit this picture to be in the "smash" class. Besides, isn't Bing enough?

Followed by another Paramount, "One Hour Late," giving the new "crooner" Joe Morrison a fine chance, aided by Helen Twelvetrees and old favourites like Conrad Nagel and Arline Judge. "Ladies Should Listen" with Cary Grant, Nydia Westman and Edward Everett Horton, as the finest comedy trio in a fast and funny farce.

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Victor McLaglen is decidedly plotting deep plots to keep Rosemary Ames and Edmund Lowe apart. The inimitable pair are up to fresh rivalries in their latest Fox Film comedy drama, "The Great Hotel Murder."



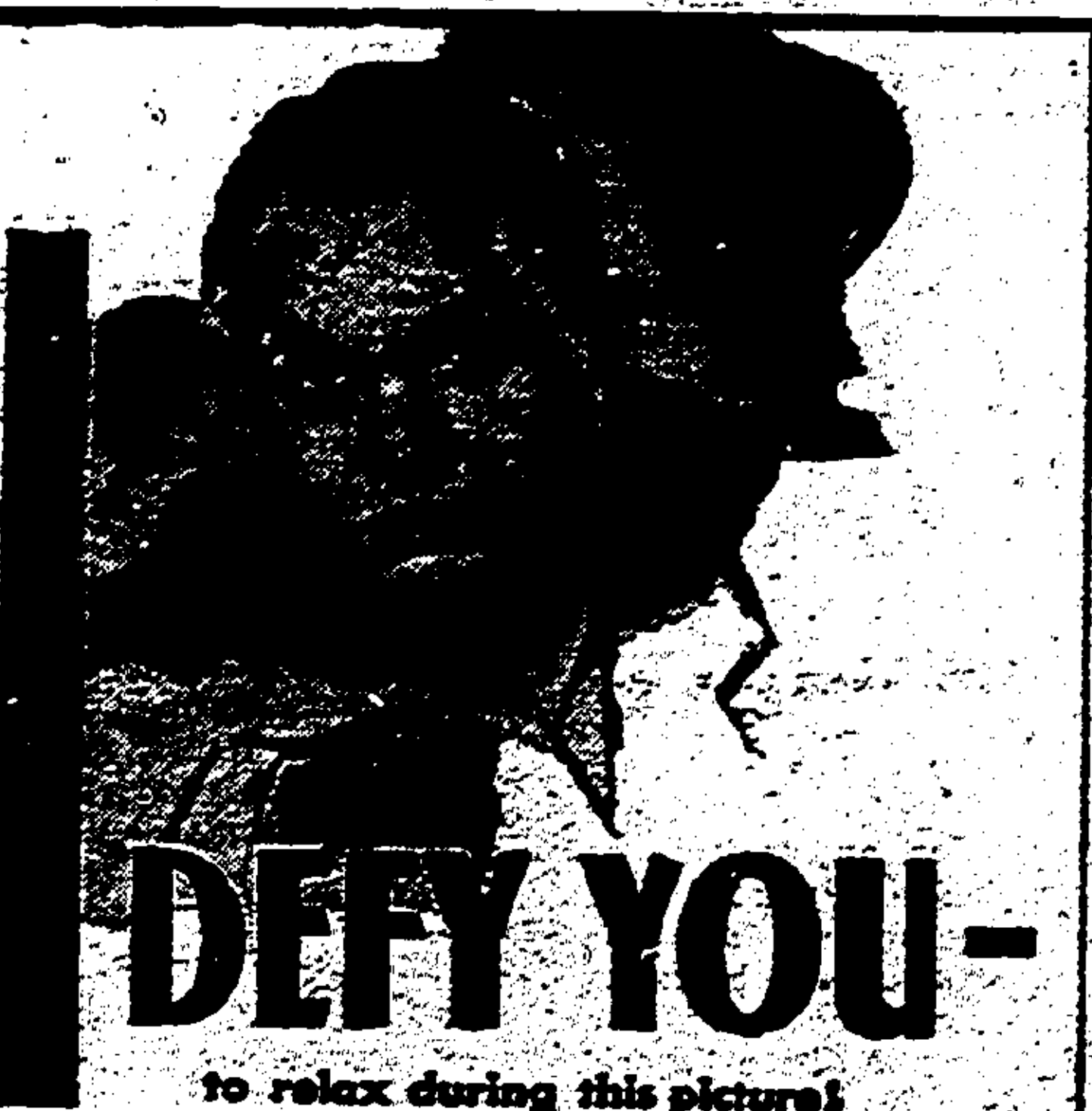
Jean Muir and George Brent are co-starred in "Desirable," which is to be screened next Wednesday at the Alhambra Theatre.



A woman holds the key to the mystery which Edmund Lowe, as a brainy sleuth, and Victor McLaglen, as a brawny "dick," set out to solve, with mirthful results, in their latest co-featured Fox Film picture, "The Great Hotel Murder," which is coming shortly to the King's Theatre.



Warren William is the leading star in the mystery drama, "The Case of the Howling Dog."



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The China Mail

Hong Kong, Friday, June 14, 1935.

Peace Or War?

It may be due to their Oriental mentality, or to the circumstances of current diplomacy, but it is quite certain that the Japanese have a way of raising questions that are new, or at any rate put in a new and puzzling form. For instance, is the present set of events in North China peace or war? The first reflection of those who remember the course of the Manchurian campaign is the similarity of style to the whole of the procedure, both military and civil, of the sequence of moves that followed on the sudden seizure of Mukden. There is the conciliatory tone of the Foreign Minister at Tokyo, who announces that he is on the verge of arranging a friendly understanding. There is the feigned or real surprise that some distant General has exceeded his instructions, with the added aside that, of course, now there is nothing to do but to face accomplished facts. In truth it is not really a mere similarity of events; it is the same campaign about which the only doubtful thing is where it will stop.

If the Powers that have large interests in the North have a policy, it has not been declared; if they have none it is not for lack of warning. Quite apart from the occasional kite flown by the "Official Spokesman," there have been several other indications that the present programme has been long in contemplation. In Shanghai, for example, the name of Mr. George Bronson Rea is well known as a journalist who has consistently argued every disputed question from the Japanese point of view. Mr. Rea has recently published a book called "The Case for Manchukuo," in which he reveals himself as an enthusiastic—though scarcely tactful—admirer of everything Japanese, and a strenuous denouncer of everything done either by any European country or by his own country, since the time of George Washington. He is entitled to his own views, which are not of general interest. What is of more importance, he gives some signs of having been briefed for his advocacy by very well-informed and more responsible workers in the Japanese cause, and this throws back a reflected interest upon articles and pamphlets published by him three years ago, in which he argues that not only Manchuria but Chahar, Hopei, and the whole of the north of China would be better off if these provinces were under Japanese control. Mr. Rea wrote un-

officially and could, of course, be disavowed if his imperialistic dreams caused too much disturbance. But the truth must be confessed that nobody took him very seriously; and at that time it did not seem possible that all the other countries would be so occupied with their own affairs as to sit down quietly under the contemptuous challenge to their principles of the "Integrity of China" and "The Open Door." So enormous has been the drop in the effective influence of every other country in Far Eastern matters, and the rise in the power of Japan.

Rapid communication has to-day made a tactic of bluff in serious policy completely ineffective. Kellogg Pact or no—and it would be absurd to mention the League, whose fatuous Commission sought to pacify Japan by recounting the misdeeds of the Young Marshal and his friends, which have provided Japan with a colour of justification for an intervention which is essentially a conquest—the weight carried by any Government in negotiation is precisely the amount of military or naval or aerial force which it will be likely to throw into the scale. If it is known that only verbal protests will be used as weapons, they will be met with verbal responses and nothing more. It is well known and cannot be denied that Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang used Peiping as the base for as much "banditry" as he could organise and pay for; and it is also known that, after he had removed himself on the Japanese demand to very attractive quarters in the suburbs of Rome for the more leisurely study of calligraphy and theoretical economics, his successors have done the same. A campaign of ineffectual pinpricks is the least useful form of activity in the world; it cannot check a determined enemy, and it gives pretexts for as much further advance as that enemy may desire.

So far as Great Britain is concerned, separate action is handicapped by the policy adopted on the suggestion of the American Secretary of State, Mr. John Hay, that no measures should be taken that could not be made to apply equally to all foreign nations trading with China. The Japanese themselves have greatly benefited by that principle, but from this point of view what should be recollected is rather the Shanghai fighting than the Manchurian. It is an intolerable thing that international concessions should be used as military bases; and the failure to say so at once is a damaging precedent. The Legation Quarter at Peiping is not likely to be interfered with, in fact there will be less chance of disorder there than before. But the Tientsin concessions are also likely to bring foreign interests into dangerous

HERE, THERE
—
EVERYWHERE

BLOOD TESTS AND PATERNITY

The use of blood tests as evidence in cases involving disputed paternity has now been legalised in the State of New York.

The Bill sanctioning this procedure brings New York State into line with Austria, Denmark, Germany, Italy and Sweden.

Great Britain may not be long in following suit. A Scotland Yard official has just returned from Sweden, where he has been studying blood tests for six months.

Sweden is the pioneer country in the use of these tests. They are not infallible. If the putative father's blood is of the required type, it is not an indication that he must be the father, but that he might be. If his blood, however, is of the wrong type, it is incontrovertible evidence that he cannot be the father.

MR. GLADSTONE'S "BEATRICE"

What did Mr. Gladstone sell in 1875? The answer is: His pictures and works of art at Christie's.

Less than \$4,000 was then realised, the chief picture being "Lady with a Coronet of Jasmine," which William Dyce, R.A., had painted specially for him. It brought 400gs.

Recently it reappeared at Christie's, under the title of "Beatrice." This name is correct, as Dyce, in painting it, had in mind Dante's Beatrice.

Sir Alec Martin, who greatly admires Dyce's art, bought it for his private collection—at 32gs.

Mr. Gladstone was proud of a piece of Italian majolica (as he thought) illustrating "The Finding of Moses." But an angry Scotsman came along and proved that he had made it for Wedgwood when working at his factory.

Your Daily Smile!

Choir Boy: "What made you give up singing in the choir?"

Ex-Choir Boy: "I was absent one Sunday, and someone asked if the organ was mended."

Husband (to wife returning home from a shopping tour): "My dear, have you had an accident? Why have you got that bandage on the side of your forehead?"

The wife replied: "That's not a bandage. That's my new hat."

Gravity Defied

"Any complaints?" asked the orderly officer, looking in at the men's mess.

"Yes, sir," said a young private, "the bread's all wrong."

"What's wrong with it?"

"Well, it defies the law of gravity, sir. It's as heavy as lead but it won't go down."

Little Jimmy had been to the Zoo for the first time and was telling his Auntie about it with great excitement. "You did have a lovely time!" exclaimed Auntie, sympathetically. "What animal did you like best of all?"

"Oh, the elephant," came the quick reply. "It was such fun seeing it pick up buns with its vacuum cleaner!"

BANISHEE RETURNS

Came Back For Wife And Son

"I came back to take my wife and son to the country," pleaded She Pong, unemployed, when charged with a breach of the Deportation Ordinance before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning. Defendant was sentenced to nine months' hard labour.

Another banishee, Ng Sang was also sentenced to nine months' imprisonment for returning before his term had expired.

TO-DAY'S RAINFALL

Owing to the heavy shower which fell this morning the total rainfall, as issued by the Royal Observatory for the 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. to-day was 0.33 inches. From 7.30 to 8.30 a total of 0.17 inches was recorded, while from 8.30 to 9.30 0.13 inches of rain fell.

contiguity with the Japanese forces, and at any rate what is done will be known and accurately reported. Much depends on what Nanking may do, and what relationship will be assumed by the Generals towards the Central Government.

"GIVE US BACK
OUR KING"
CRY OF THE PEOPLE
IN GREECESTRONG MONARCHIST FEELING
SHOWS ITSELF

(By Tudor Jenkins)

I have come back from Athens. Only from outside the country can one lift the veil on the new drama of Modern Greece.

I went there during the Venizelos uprising. Special correspondents from all parts of the world gathered in Athens and Salonika. But an iron censorship operated. Here in England I realise how little of the truth was allowed to filter across the frontier.

The revolution itself was farcical. But the possibility of more serious conflict shadows the country.

Its first whisperings were conveyed by the Government troops returning in triumph to Athens. For as they marched they sang Royalist songs and carried pictures of their exiled King George. This news was suppressed.

Excultantly a man here and there would fire off his rifle. Broken telegraph wires proved that they fired no blank cartridges.

Rebel "Army"

Their triumph had been easily gained. The revolution was on a scale that would have made any Mexican laugh. The only spectacular exploit was the capture by the Venizelists of the cruiser Averoff and other vessels of the Greek navy.

This article is of peculiar interest just now, in view of the imminent holding of a plebiscite in Greece to determine upon the question of the recall of ex-King George.

The rebel "army" settled down at Serez and Kavalla, leading towns in the tobacco lands of Macedonia. It was reported that "no news has been received" of about 70 tobacco growers and their families—British, American and Belgian—and that there were fears for their safety. The truth was that the tobacco men found the Venizelists charming fellows. There were even cocktail parties.

All the time they held the "line" in Macedonia, the Venizelists had a train standing by with steam up. When the Government troops began to advance they climbed into their train and rode away. The Government troops took train and followed them up.

As fast as the Government train steamed out to action the Venizelists steamed out of it until, at last, they came to the point nearest the Bulgarian frontier. Then the rebel leaders crossed over to safety, leaving juniors to face the penalty of revolt.

The Greek Government did not want it known that the revolt was just a Ruritanian affair; they were proud that in two days they had mobilised and put into the field 140,000 officers and men, fully equipped. The outside world, denied the truth, were fed with rumours. There was on report that there were 600 dead and many hundreds more injured. Actually the total casualties on both sides only equalled a day's toll on the roads of England.

In Athens

In the gay city of Athens there was little sign of the revolution. Theatres and cafes had to bow to a curfew order, and taxicabs had to keep within a stipulated limit. Otherwise life went on as usual. Shops on the broad boulevards were as busy as ever; lovers met in the orange groves of the Zappeion gardens; work went on unhindered in the blocks of ultra-modern flats that are rising everywhere, even in the shadow of the age-old Acropolis.

The Athenians would not have been so complacent had they known the truth about Venizelos's house. It had been rumoured that this great mansion with terraced gardens, on the road to the wealthy suburb of Kephysia, would be left to the nation to become the Number 10, Downing-street, of Greece.

As soon as the revolt broke out the Government sealed every room and placed a strong guard at the gates; it was given out that the house would become the Town Hall of Athens.

But Venizelos, preparing for a

revolt, had also prepared for defeat. The house was mortgaged to a British banking house for something like \$60,000.

The New Cry

Venizelos raised the cry "The Republic is in danger!" He was unlucky. The new cry is "Give us back our king."

The monarchist movement is gaining impetus every day, but Europe will hear little or nothing about it as long as a Republican Government is in power.

That will not be long if General Metaxas has his way. He is the leader of the Monarchists, a short, clean-shaven man, about 55 years old and graying. His eyes twinkle behind rimless glasses, his voice is soft, his manner suave.

He is the perfect courtier. His whole life has been bound up with the fortunes—and misfortunes—of the Greek royal house. He was personal A.D.C. to King Constantine. He knew ex-King George as a little boy; as a prince King George was his pupil in the army.

His eyes may twinkle, but now and again they reveal the relentless purpose of the man. He is now planning for the day when his King will return.

The plans of the Monarchists are cut and dried. They want their young ex-king back and no one else. Failing King George, they will keep to the same dynasty; this is the sheet anchor of their campaign. There are still Prince George and the young Prince Paul.

The Venizelos fiasco is helping the Monarchists in another way. By demanding the death of Venizelos and his associates they are gaining the support of the mob.

Editor Supporter

In this campaign they are being aided by Polychronopoulos, former Chief of Police, now in gaol accused of being the prime mover in the plot against the life of Venizelos last June.

M. Polychronopoulos is editor of a newspaper. While he has been in prison, this work has been done nominally by his 17-year-old son. Actually, M. Polychronopoulos has continued to edit his paper from his prison cell.

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CHINESE TRADE
WITH TIBETEncouraged By
Government

It is learned that the Government has before it definite plans to foster Chinese and Tibetan trade. Import duty on native products going into Tibet are to be waived while Tibetan goods will only come under import duty regulations.

In view of the fact that the lack of proper communications seriously hampers all ideas of development in this regard, the Shantung Government will approach the British authorities to allow products from China and Tibet to pass through India free of the regular import duties, provided that such products are not unpacked and unloaded on Indian territory.



Official: "Have you any identification papers?"

Lady: "No, I thought them unnecessary as half the town knows me."

Official: "I am, sorry, madam, I belong to the half of the town that does not know you."

LARGE GERMAN FAMILIES TO BE DESIRED

Numerical Strength Of Nation

STATISTICS OF JEWISH POPULATION

—CHINA MAIL—SPECIAL
Berlin, To-day.
That there are still 8,500,000 Germans too few if the numerical strength of the German nation is to be definitely maintained, was the statement made by a member of the Prussian State Council, Dr. Conti, in a lecture on the race question delivered at the Academy of Political Sciences here, in which he emphasised that no fertile marriage should produce less than four or at least three offspring, in the biological interest of the nation.

Referring to the Jewish problem the lecturer contested the assertion that there are only 600,000 Jews in Germany, and pointed out that this assertion was based on an erroneous conclusion drawn from pre-war statistics, in which only adherents of the Mosaic faith were reckoned as Jews.

As a matter of fact, said the lecturer, there were to-day about half a million orthodox Jews, 300,000 others who were of pure Jewish blood although not of the Mosaic faith, and 750,000 "half-blooded Jews" in Germany.

The lecturer concluded by stressing that the National Socialist Government's policy with regard to salaries and taxation would be inspired by the necessity of favouring families with numerous children—Trans-Ocean Service.

FRANCE QUERIES GERMAN NAVAL ASPIRATIONS

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It is pointed out that, under the Washington Treaty, France possesses only 35 per cent of the British tonnage in capital ships, and consequently in this category would be at parity with Germany. It is believed to be unlikely that France will accept this, in view of her frontage to three seas and the extent of her colonial empire. The opinion is expressed that in the light of these facts France may well wish to resume her liberty of action.—Reuter.

ABOLITION OF SIAM OFFICE

Economic Council's Decision

Nanking.
In order to retrench expenses, the National Economic Council has decided to abolish its Siam Office at the end of this month. Mr. Liu Chin-shan, Director of the Siam Office, has recently been appointed Chairman of the Administrative Board of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, and is expected to assume his new post shortly.—(Chekiat Agency).

AERODROME ON ROOF OF HOUSE

Reich Air Ministry Complete Plans

Berlin.
The new Reich Air Ministry building now in the course of construction in the Wilhelmstrasse, Berlin, is to have a large flat roof which will be used as an aerodrome. In addition, the building will be equipped with bomb-proof shelters for air raids. The Ministry would be the largest building in Berlin.

Sir Thomas Southorn Attends Jubilee Picture At Queen's

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, Sir Thomas Southorn, K.B.E., C.M.G., accompanied by Lady Southorn, O.B.E., and party, attended the Queen's Theatre last night where "The Girl From Maxima" featuring the well-known British comedienne, Leslie Henson, and the late George Grossmith, was screened.

The programme included a special Pathe News Reel depicting scenes during the Royal Silver Jubilee celebrations in London.



Ireland did not join in the Empire-wide observance of King George's jubilee. Instead, Free State men who fought in the "Easter Rebellion" against Britain in 1916. President Eamon De Valera is seen reviewing veterans of the conflict, some of them in their old uniforms.

MAX BAER BEATEN

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Towards the end, when he saw the means of making big money fast disappearing he tried desperately for a knock-out but failed. Baer's forte was in-fighting, otherwise he was never really effective.

SEVEN ROUNDS WON

Braddock won the 1st, 2nd, 6th, 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th rounds, while the 3rd and 11th rounds were even.

He was continuously landing left jabs to the jaw. Baer attempted to land terrific rights in the second round, but this was the only occasion during the fight!

Braddock boxed well throughout and landed several right hooks, some of which were very powerful. He attacked strongly and landed several blows on the arms and rights to the jaw. Baer replied with a two-fisted attack. The crowd then booed Baer in the fourth round for something which was unapparent. Baer waved a sarcastic acknowledgement.

BAER WARMS UP

Baer had warmed up by the sixth round, when he pretended to fall but suddenly sprang up and landed a right hook. Most of the round, however, was Braddock's.

In the tenth round Baer landed what appeared to have been a low blow. The eleventh round was nearly all Braddock's, with Baer occasionally getting in hooks to the jaw and left and right hooks and jabs.

The only time Baer clown was in the second round and this was only occasionally. From the 14th round onwards Braddock was crashing right hooks to the jaw which sent Baer onto the ropes. Braddock won from this stage onwards.—Reuter.

3 TO 1 FAVOURITE

Max Baer was a 3 to 1 favourite to beat Braddock last Monday.

Braddock, recent dock labourer, said he was in fine shape and declared he expected to knock out the Livermore Adonis and thus win the crown. Baer won a year ago from the giant Primo Carnera. Earlier indications were that the challenger would be outweighed by about 20 pounds, entering the ring at about 195 pounds to 215 for Baer.

BRADDOCK'S FITNESS

Commissioner Bill Brown, who last year opined that Maxie was in no condition to fight Primo Carnera for the crown, expressed belief that Braddock was in the best shape.

"The only criticism I have of

Braddock is that he is wide open for a right," Brown told the United Press.

Baer, whose seriousness in training had impressed the experts, appeared confident of his ability to beat Braddock.

He had been allowing his sparring partners to hit him at will and had not been returning their blows.

INJURED RIGHT HAND

Though Baer said the reason he did not return his sparring partner's punches was because he was "just letting the boys show him the way to scrap—Braddock," the real reason was believed to be his injured right hand.

Electric treatments, have failed to help Baer's injured hand, the aftermath of an exhibition bout several months ago.

"I am under orders not to use my right at all," he said last Monday.

BRADDOCK'S TWO BOUTS

Braddock's only bouts of importance last year were:

June 14, knocked out Corn Criffin in the third round.
November 16, outpointed J. H. Lewis over 10 rounds.

Baer's first fight after he had won the title was against King Levinsky, whom he floored for five whole minutes in the second round on December 28. He then staged a series of exhibition 4-round bouts (allegedly title bouts), but he has spent most of his time earning a fabulous salary broadcasting.

TWO CHALLENGERS

There were only two men in the world to-day who were conceded any chance against Baer's sledge-hammer onslaughts. They were:

Max Schmeling, who lost on points to Steve Hamas in February last year, and then failed to beat Paulino Uzcudun in May of that year, the bout being declared a draw. He, however, made a comeback by knocking out Walter Nensel, Jack Petersen's conqueror, in the ninth round on August 26. Champion before robbed of the crown by a disputed decision against Jack Sharkey, the German contender was considered to be the only logical challenger of Baer, who owed his rise to fame to the fact that he beat the rugged Schmeling after his disappointing American tour.

Carnera, who outpointed Tommy Loughran on March 2 last year in his first defence of the heavyweight crown, won from Jack Sharkey, and who, on June 14, was technically knocked out in the eleventh round by Max Baer in a world title bout. His first step on the comeback ladder was made against Cecil Harris, whom he knocked out in the seventh round on January 13 this year. Less than a fortnight later he floored Ervin Klausner for good in the sixth round. He then beat Ray Impellitteri in the ring's greatest battle of giants.

CHAMPIONS TO DATE

1882—32—John L. Sullivan
1882—37—James J. Corbett
1897—99—Robert Fitzsimmons
1899—1906—James J. Jeffries
1906—1908—Tommy Burns
1908—1915—Jack Johnson
1915—1918—Jess Willard
1918—1928—Jack Dempsey
1928—1928—Gene Tunney (retired)
1928—1931—Max Baer
1931—1931—Jack Sharkey
1931—1931—Primo Carnera
1931—1931—Max Baer
1935—James Braddock

To-day's Short Story

Once Round The Clock

By Michael Kent

MAJOR "Bunny" Sutherland's home-made gymnasium, screwed to a beam in his attic bedroom, was a pulley, a rope, and a chunk of rock. The morning sun powdered his rose brown skin with gold, shimmering on fluted dorsals and vertebrae arched like a leaping salmon. His huge, arms wide, lean joints, quilted into squares, expressed the joyous verve of the Winged Victory.

Resting, he coned those excellencies in his mirror.

"Not too bad for 58."

Wrapped in a dressing gown he took his coffee to the balcony. Below lay Monaco. In the bay a cruising liner gleamed against the sun. A gull poised in the swilled blue shone like a shell burst. Lex, laurel, olive, palm and arrow-pointed bamboo seethed above the furrowed roofs of lower villas that cut sharp against the sea.

Bunny saw it daily and never lost his wonder at its beauty. He had the mind of a boy. In his life he had sent men to die, often set his own head in peril, stood as the King's representative in Oriental palaces, yet at 58 he savoured each day's hazards like a lad at school.

After the coffee a cigarette.

He surveyed the meagre comfort of his attic, with its tiled floor and walls starred with dead mosquitoes, and bit his hmsy chuckle off short.

Bunny had mortgaged his pension to a widowed daughter badly left, living himself on a pittance of two pounds a week and anything more that he could legitimately make by his wits. Three clients in this little pension had come on his introduction and the proprietor paid him a small daily commission. He lived *meublee*, feeding where he would at his own expense or, with luck, at the expense of a friend.

There was Mrs. Forter Dwight, at the Ambassadeurs. Judicious

LOCAL JOURNALIST'S 65TH BIRTHDAY

Congratulations For Mr. H. S. Whiteside

A very pleasant little ceremony took place in the offices of the *China Mail* this afternoon, when Mr. H. S. Whiteside, of the editorial staff of the paper, had his colleagues on the occasion of his 65th birthday.

Mr. Whiteside has been connected with the paper for about 18 months, and previously travelled considerably in South Africa, Malaya and Australia. At one time Mr. Whiteside was a proprietary planter in Malaya, and he was also editor of the well-known Ipoh paper, the *Times of Malaya*, for some years before the present owner and editor, Mr. Jack Jennings, took it over.

Mr. Whiteside, who is a keen critic of art and has many other interests, holds his years remarkably well.

GENERALISSIMO'S NEW APPOINTMENT

In Charge Of Opium Suppression

Nanking.
The National Government, in a statute issued recently, proclaimed the abolition of the National Opium Suppression Commission and the appointment of General Chiang Kai-shek, President of the Military Affairs Commission, concurrently Inspector-General of National Opium Suppression.—(Chekiat Agency).

Lithuanian Obstruction In Memel Municipal Council

Memel, to-day—Thirty out of 40 members of the Municipal Council attended the session convened for last Wednesday. Six Councilors out of the 10 absent were prevented from attending because they were among those sentenced at the recent Kovno "treason" trial. Of the 30 Councilors present seven were Lithuanians.

In face of the Lithuanian opposition the Council carried a motion stipulating that the illegal removal

factory might extract a meal from that opulent and well-preserved lady, Baron Valmond, who overestimated his skill at most things, might be enticed to back it. He might lurk a lunch from Mrs. Massey, who loved dancing and hated gigolos.

"Better get down to it," said Bunny.

So, persuading an undarned sock to hide its shame under his heel, unpepping his gloves from the string on which he had dried them, and plucking a truculent eye-brow, he sallied forth tant of tissue, fibre and mind and sparkling defiance. With a beard and plumed hat he might have been Franz Hals' cavalier, laughing at Fate, gaily eager to live.

The passing show of the terrace below the casino was as stimulating as his first campaign in Ashanti. A lady, expensive and charming, passed with a glance at him.

TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be "Robbery Under Arms" by John Dwyer.

Bunny hesitated. In his daughter's last letter Pamela, aged three, sent her love to Grandpa.

Romance took the bit and bolted. "Grandpa," said he. "I'll show 'em!"

He dodged through the Cafe de Paris, crowded at the *aperitif* hour, and met her face to face.

"Why, this is lovely. I didn't know you were here."

Admirably simulated surprise.

"Nor I you. Have you been down long?"

"I came on from Italy," said Bunny.

He spent the summers in Allassio, living on a diet of macaroni and sunshine.

The goddess swung a camera case by its straps.

"I've a date with a cocktail. Do come. We've such lots to talk about. Where are you staying?"

"The usual pub," said Bunny cautiously.

"Marvellous! Ah, there's Bonzo."

She swooped upon two youths at a table, slim, lacquered and elegant.

"Children," said she. "Introduce yourselves. I must repair my face. My God, I look septic."

Astutely she made Bunny give his name.

"Major Sutherland, Indian Army," said he stiffly at attention.

"Tony Waters, sir."

The fair boy nodded.

"Damn the 'sir,'" thought Bunny.

"Bertrand Gonzales" the dark lad had the crooner's nauseating drawl. "Four champagne cocktails, waiter. Weren't you driving in the motor rally, Major?"

They talked, but the girl's eyes were for Bunny. He inflated. Grandpa indeed!

"Children," said the girl. "Run away. I want to talk to the major about old times."

"And plan new ones." Bunny chuckled.

The youths faded out, leaving him the only man at the table with eight long empty glasses and a tariff that read "Champagne cocktails 10 francs."

Eighty francs and the ten per cent!

Was that chance or strategy? Anyhow it meant a thin lunch, and Mrs. Forter Dwight as his only hope for dinner.

"Doing anything this afternoon?" asked the lady.

"Tied up, worse luck," said Bunny. "I may be feeding at the Ambassadeurs to-night. (Pious hope!) Shall I see you there?"

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HEAVY INFUX INTO KALGAN

Japanese And Korean Merchants

During the past few weeks Kalgan, provincial capital of Chahar, has witnessed a continued influx of Japanese and Koreans, who have gone there as business men and tourists. Formerly there were only about a dozen Japanese merchants in the city, but now the number has grown to over 100. The Chahar authorities are taking precautionary measures and are intensifying their efforts towards the suppression of the drug trade.—(Chekiat Agency).

STAPLE INDUSTRIES IN KIANGSI

Large Factory To Be Established

Nanking.
It is learned that the National Economic Council has decided to appropriate a sum of \$1,000,000 to establish a large-scale factory in Kiangsi for the development of the staple industries in that province, such as paper, porcelain and earthenware, and tea. It is planned that branch offices of the projected factory will be established at Shanghai, Hankow and other places to promote the sale of these products both in China and abroad.—(Chekiat Agency).

DISPLAY OF CHINESE ART IN LONDON

Organising Committee Formed
LORD LYTTON AS CHAIRMAN

London, To-day.
Preparations are already in hand for the great display of Chinese art that is to be assembled at Burlington House in the autumn.

Lord Lytton is chairman of the organising committee, which includes some well-known authorities on Chinese art, and the exhibition will comprise, in addition to representative Chinese paintings, many of them of great historic and artistic value, a fine selection of bronzes, porcelain, textiles, and lacquer, some of which are drawn from the Peiping Palace collection.

—British Wireless Service.
H.M.S. Seefolk left Hong Kong yesterday morning with her priceless cargo of the Peiping Palace Treasure.

POWER STATION AT NANSHENG

To-morrow's Ceremony

Canton, To-day.
The ceremony of laying the foundation stone of the new electric power station at Nansheng will take place at 10 a.m. to-morrow, according to the Municipal Government. Invitations have been issued to various Government departments and public bodies.

Construction work was started last winter. So far a warehouse and a wharf have been completed.

TUNNEL PROJECT FOR LIVERPOOL

Under Hilly Ground Of Everton District

Plans for a £2,000,000 tunnel running beneath the hilly Everton district of Liverpool and connecting the Queensway Tunnel to the new East Lancashire road are now before the Government, for which Liverpool Corporation is asking for Government assistance to the extent of 75 per cent of the cost. The tunnel will have two avenues, one for tram-car traffic and the other for general transport, and will be a mile and a half long.

Personal Pars

Mrs. Robert Dollar, wife of the founder of the Dollar Steamship Line, arrived in the Colony this morning by the s.s. President Coolidge from Manila. Mrs. Dollar is accompanied by Mrs. W. Proudfoot, Mrs. W. Whitney and Mrs. E. Riley, all of whom are on their way back to America.

Among the passengers who arrived in the Colony this morning by the s.s. President Coolidge from Manila was Mr. Heron of the New York office of the Texas Co. He is on a business trip and is accompanied by his wife.

Mr. Ivan W. Kerr and Mr. R. J. Redfern of Messrs. Warner, Barnes & Co. of Manila arrived in Hong Kong to-day by the s.s. President Coolidge.

Mr. W. A. Ballinger, of Ballinger & Co., San Francisco, who, together with his wife, is returning to America from a business and pleasure tour of the Orient, arrived here this morning by the s.s. President Cleveland from Manila.

Mr. N. V. Carlson, accountant for the Dollar line at Manila, arrived in the Colony this morning by the s.s. President Cleveland, en route to America on leave.

The Trade Commissioner for the American Department of Commerce, Mr. C. E. Christopherson, arrived here by the s.s. President Coolidge this morning, en route to Shanghai.

The president of the Westinghouse Electric Co., Mr. Frank Merriam, accompanied by his wife, arrived in Hong Kong to-day by the s.s. President Cleveland from Manila, en route to America.

JUBILEE TATTOO AT ALDERSHOT

Increased Spectacle This Year

MONARCHS OF PAST TO BE REPRESENTED

London.

The popularity of searchlight tattoos is both interesting and remarkable. It is easy enough to understand why people should sometimes at great inconvenience to themselves, to the actual performances. There is magic in the marching of men under the flashing illuminations of the searchlights; in the ambuscades, surprise attacks, and other manoeuvres of the tattoo, which are particularly thrilling at night. One would imagine that a tattoo would be predominantly a spectacle, but the broadcasts of the performances have been immensely popular, not only in Great Britain, but overseas as well.

The origin of these thrilling performances dates back for many years, but it was largely owing to the advances made in electric light diffusion and control, searchlight design, electrical reproducing, and signalling that the spectacles appealed so strongly to the popular imagination.

Unprecedented Spectacle

As was only to be expected, in the year of the King's Silver Jubilee the Aldershot Tattoo of 1935 is to be a spectacle of unprecedented magnitude and magnificence. Sometimes, to the initiated there seems to be a certain similarity about all tattoos, but there is a purpose and an idea behind the massed band performances and the maze of marching and counter-marching.

This year the central theme is the British Crown and its illustrious history, depicted in many vivid scenes. There will be memories of Wellington and Waterloo; of the Scottish Highlanders who, when they were not united against the Sassenachs, turned their spears and broadswords against each other; of the rise of the British cavalry and the part played by our kings in the establishment of popular regiments.

There will be reproductions of the Tower of London and Windsor Castle, depicting the past and present homes of the kings of England. These will form the background for the most spectacular scene in the history of the Aldershot Tattoo. All the monarchs who celebrated their semi-jubilees will be represented, and with their retainers will pass in stately and magnificent procession.

Treat For Listeners

Major J. B. S. Bourne-May, who recently gave the commentary on "Trooping the Colour", will broadcast an eye-witness account of these stirring scenes, and listeners will also hear the massed bands, the roll of the drums, the skirls of the bagpipes, the singing of the National Anthem, and of favourite songs and hymns.

The principal departure from precedent at this year's Tattoo is that already vast number of bands and performers is to be increased. The last Aldershot Command Tattoo has been presented. This year, the resources of the Eastern Command will be added to those of the greatest military garrison in the Empire. In particular, the increase affects the Massed Bands, which this year will number 26 as compared with 15 at the last year's Tattoo.

Why Lawrence Joined The R.A.F.—"I Hate The East"

(By CAPT. PAUL BEWSE)
I can now relate the details of a conversation I had with Colonel Lawrence at Calshot seaplane base, on Southampton Water, six years ago.

I asked him why he had joined the R.A.F., and he said: "I joined as I was very interested in its work, and I like a disciplined life. I suppose I might have been given a fairly high rank, had I wished it, but I preferred to be an aircraftman."

"Had I become an officer I should have found it very difficult to avoid meeting all kinds of people. As an aircraftman I can lead my own life without being bothered, and just meet those few people I do want to see. Besides, I am a poor man, and could not afford to be an officer."



Public figures often complain of lack of privacy. But none of them have ever been pictured losing a decision to a dentist over a case of toothache. Mr. Keisuke Okada, Premier of Japan, is here seen undergoing treatment in the Tokyo Dental College.

GERMAN BANKING TO-DAY'S SIX "D" DIVISION TENNIS GAMES

Herr von Mendelssohn At Age Of 70

GLOWING EULOGIES IN BERLIN PRESS

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Berlin, To-day.

The Berlin papers yesterday published long and glowing eulogies of Herr Franz von Mendelssohn, the senior partner of the world-famous Berlin banking house of that name, who died early yesterday morning, aged 70. The bank, one of whose founders was the father of the renowned composer Mendelssohn, has enjoyed a reputation for financial strength and security during the recent years of crisis, which was enhanced by the high esteem in which the senior partner was held.

Herr von Mendelssohn was President of the German Association of Chambers of Industry and Commerce for many years, and was largely instrumental in the development of its significance. In addition to manifold commercial activities the noted banker also found time to devote himself to science and the arts, holding honorary positions in a number of learned societies, among which was the German Oriental Society, of which he was one of the co-founders.

In 1913 he was elected a member of the Prussian Upper Chamber; in 1918, a member of the Central Committee of the Reichsbank, receiving a seat on the board in 1924. His activity in charitable work could hardly be overestimated, and it was in keeping with his distinguished character that it was anonymous as far as possible.

Himself a virtuoso on the violin, he was a generous patron of every branch of art.—Trans-Ocean Service.

GOLF STARTING TIMES

Week-End Pairings At Fanling

The following are the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club starting times for Fanling to-morrow:

OLD COURSE
9.24 a.m. A. Sommerfeld, G. Marselle
9.28 " L. J. A. Fielden, H. A. Browning
9.32 " I. H. Geare, R. A. Rodgers
9.36 " E. Bathurst, A. T. Lay
10.00 " S. H. Dodwell, Commodore Sedgwick
The train leaves at 8.30 a.m.

Why Lawrence Joined The R.A.F.—"I Hate The East"

(By CAPT. PAUL BEWSE)
I can now relate the details of a conversation I had with Colonel Lawrence at Calshot seaplane base, on Southampton Water, six years ago.

I asked him why he had joined the R.A.F., and he said: "I joined as I was very interested in its work, and I like a disciplined life. I suppose I might have been given a fairly high rank, had I wished it, but I preferred to be an aircraftman."

"Had I become an officer I should have found it very difficult to avoid meeting all kinds of people. As an aircraftman I can lead my own life without being bothered, and just meet those few people I do want to see. Besides, I am a poor man, and could not afford to be an officer."

STUDENT STRIKERS AT CANTON

University Directors Use Firm Hand

TEN MORE RECALTRANTS DISMISSED

Canton, to-day.

Ten more students of Sun Yat-sen University were dismissed yesterday by Mr. Chow Lu, the Chancellor. It is said that these students, despite advice, were still preventing their class mates from taking the graduation examination and inciting them to strike.

Since the recalcitrant students of the 1935 class first refused to participate in the joint examination, disturbances had repeatedly occurred. In order to calm the storm, Chancellor Chow yesterday held a meeting of the Board of Directors, among those present being General Chen Chi-tang, Chairman Lin Tuen-kai, Commissioner Lin Yik-chung, and Commissioner Au Fong-pu. The fate of the ten students was decided at the meeting.

The graduation examination will be held again on Monday.—Central Press.

WOODEN-SPOONISTS CLASH

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rink-is up against Grimmit's four, there will be "fireworks" as both skips are fond of driving.

The next match on the list of any importance is assuredly that between the Police and Craigengower "A," and the latter team would be well advised to take this contest seriously. The Police team has improved so much that no surprise will be felt should they win.

Best Junior Encounter

In the Junior Division the match which supplies the greatest amount of doubt is that at King's Park, where the Recreio entertain Talkoo. The shipbuilders, it is said, will strengthen their team and if such is the case they may win.

The Bowling Green, as leaders, must not treat the footballers lightly. The remainder of the matches should result as forecasted.

The following are the selected rinks for to-morrow:

SENIOR DIVISION
Indian R.C.
J. Hossein, M. el Arculli, A. M. Wahab and A. R. Mina (skip).
M. R. Abbas, S. O. Bux, M. Y. Adal and A. O. Madar (skip).
A. H. Rumi, S. M. Rumi, D. M. Khan and A. R. Dallah (skip).
Reserves: A. K. Minu and K. Nazari.

Kowloon C.C.
H. Gittens, E. C. Fischer, A. E. Silvestone and J. Fraser (skip).
J. W. M. Brown, R. G. Conig, N. Bellington and A. Hyde-Lay (skip).
H. Overy, F. Goodwin, W. Hyde and E. P. Phillips (skip).

Kowloon Dock R.C.
C. Atkinson, G. Humble, R. Lapaley and F. Cullen (skip).
W. Glegg, R. Morrison, J. Kempton and J. McKelvey (skip).
V. Ramesh, T. Coleman, G. Cooper and S. Gray (skip).

Civil Service C.C.
H. Major, J. P. McGowan, A. O. Brown, and A. Grimmit (skip).
E. W. Simmonds, J. Purvis, J. Deskin and F. Jones (skip).
P. E. Knight, S. Alderman, S. Ecclesall and J. Hollidge (skip).

Police R.C.
J. C. S. Fegan, C. Dowman, W. McHardy and G. Moore (skip).
E. G. Post, W. S. Dall, G. Perkins and W. E. Hollands (skip).
W. McLeod, T. Hunter, F. Nolan and J. Shepherd (skip).

Craigengower "A"
A. E. Coates, A. S. Gomes, D. Rumi, Jahn and R. W. Bradbury (skip).
C. Summons, L. C. E. Souza, H. Bee and U. L. Omar (skip).
J. S. Landish, A. A. Hazack, R. Bass and R. F. Luz (skip).

Club de Recreio
J. E. Noronha, C. H. Basto, F. V. V. Eberio and C. G. Silva (skip).
L. J. Silva, L. P. Xavier, C. L. Marques and H. A. Alves (skip).
A. A. Remedios, J. G. Ouzio, L. A. Gutierrez and F. X. M. Silva (skip).

Craigengower "B"
A. Coelho, F. Pizarro, M. A. R. Sousa and C. S. Rouselet (skip).
G. Duncan, W. T. Brightman, W. Gill and E. el Arculli (skip).
J. R. Soares, M. J. Medina, W. V. Field and J. Cavanagh (skip).

Talkoo Dock R.C.
D. E. Bone, A. W. Norris, W. Cunningham and J. C. Chalmers (skip).
J. W. Reid, T. Swan, J. Watson and G. H. Stewart (skip).

D. Peoples, E. Wright, J. C. Polson and T. F. Stainton (skip).
Kowloon C.C.
G. Lee, C. Fletcher, M. N. Bakken and J. M. Jack (skip).

J. P. Houghton, W. C. Simpson, J. Smith and L. E. Lammert (skip).
P. S. W. Smith, J. S. Dimes, T. Carr and W. J. Geall (skip).
H. K. Electric R.C.
E. C. Butler, V. Sothy, C. T. Padgett and A. F. Paul (skip).

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Leung Ping, a 36-year-old unemployed, was this morning sentenced to three weeks' hard labour by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court for the theft of a girder-joint from the Yau-mati Ferry Wharf. He was also recommended for banishment if it should be found, on police investigation, that he was not born in the Colony. Previous convictions were proved against accused.

Chan Chee Kong, a 25-year-old unemployed, was this morning found guilty by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court of the theft of \$65 in Hong Kong banknotes and \$7 in Chinese notes from Cheong Chi Fan, a tobacco merchant, at the Empress Hotel yesterday. At the request of Sub-Inspector Tyler, who said that the police desired to make certain inquiries about the defendant, His Worship deferred passing sentence until Monday.

Ng Kui was this morning sentenced to nine months' hard labour by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court for returning to the Colony after having been banished for 10 years in 1931.

An R.E.O.C.A. open air whist drive will be held at Wellington Barracks on Monday June 24, commencing at 8.30 p.m. (if weather inclement in Dining Hall). Admission will be 50 cents.

Sentence of three months' hard labour was imposed on Yan Ho-fuk, a 59-year-old unemployed cook, who appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning charged with the larceny of a large shifting-pan from the R.M.S. Empress of Canada. Defendant had seven previous convictions.

Charged with the theft of a piece of brass, two pieces of lead, a piece of copper and one split pin from the s.s. Malayan Prince, an unemployed Chinese male, Iam Cheung, was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning.

A four-year-old European lad, Gerald Well, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital on Wednesday after having been bitten by a dog belonging to his father.



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SETTLING DOWN TO BUSINESS

New British Cabinet Gets To Work

London, To-day.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, as Chancellor of Cambridge University, presided at the Convocation for the conferment of honorary degrees yesterday morning, and later in the day returned to London. The other Cabinet Ministers who have assumed new offices since the reconstruction are also back in London.

The new Foreign Secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare, received courtesy calls at the Foreign Office from Ambassadors and Ministers in London.—British Wireless Service.

SHERIFF WINS BUT NOT SEEN AT HIS BEST

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Williams might have had a glimpse of victory if he had chosen his hands with better judgment. He very often missed amerring a possible three or four by playing up to the open hand instead of resting his own woods. This error was doubly unfortunate inasmuch as at this particular period of the game Sheriff was unable to get either the weight or green properly.

Taking everything into consideration, however, Sheriff deserved his win, for even though he was on one of his "off days" he is more likely to reach the concluding stages of the tournament than Williams would.

HUGE DEATH-ROLL IN MINE DISASTER

It has been definitely established that 536 miners lost their lives as a result of the recent flooding of a shaft of the Trechwan Mine off the Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway.

Once Round The Clock

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"Ambassadeurs! We are staying there. But to-night I'm going to Nice. How about to-morrow?" Her alluring dolly eyes languished.

"To-morrow?" Bunny had got off! "Meet me here at eleven. We'll go to the Rock and look at the funny fish."

The Aquarium was not going to cost a lot.

"Topping," said the girl, and frowned at her camera. "Damn this thing. I've trailed it round all morning, and now I've got to take it with me to lunch."

"Why?" asked Bunny. "I'll keep it for you till to-morrow."

"Angel," said she. "Take care of it. *Au revoir*."

He watched her go, pleased at the notice people took of her, and then he studied the bill. Eighty-eight francs. Three days' rations.

Leaving, he met Mrs. Massey in a two-hoss shay.

"Good morning, Major, said she. "Always gay, aren't you?"

"When I meet you," said Bunny.

She shook a jewelled finger "Bad lad!"

"Not really," he protested. "Only human," and pointed to a poster, "*Lucullus Restaurant, Nuit de Gala, spectacle, dancing, cadeaux*." "Does that say anything to you, dear lady?"

Mrs. Massey liked Bunny and knew he was not rich. In their jaunts together she always slipped him a *mille note* and never asked for an account. Dinner at the Lucullus would have put him on his feet.

"I daren't listen," she lamented. "Sciatica stops my ears!"

"Sciatica," said Bunny promptly.

"See my doctor, he's a . . ."

Doctor, *masseuse*, radiotherapy, baths! Mrs. Massey's sciatic nerve would keep him for a week in commissions!

"The concierge got me a charming one last night."

Missed again. The major escaped.

Everyone was hastening to lunch. He tightened his waistcoat, for the cocktails set the gastric juices crooning. "O.K., chief, we're ready for the job."

Bunny dived into the warren of alleys by the Condamine. He knew every place to feed in Monaco. He chose one announcing, "*Repas à 1 franc 50, vin compris*." Its regular patrons hired their table napkins for a week, writing their names in pencil on the corner. They were clerks and sewing girls had meagre parchment-skinned old men.

Over the flabby leek and shce of sausage which constituted "Hors d'œuvres varies," Bunny recalled a dinner at the casino with a Princess for company.

Variety is the spice of life.

A thin putty-coloured girl opposite caught his eye.

"Monsieur is not a regular client. See, he has lost his knife."

The restaurant provided one knife, fork, and spoon, and his knife and fork had been taken away with his plate.

"That ties me to pate and fruit," he laughed. "Without a knife I can't take meat."

"Monsieur is a philosopher."

"One is either that or a wolf or an ass," said he.

The girl's brown eyes were friendly.

"Monsieur is English?"

She folded her napkin, and Bunny saw the name "Pierrefeu" on it.

"English," he agreed. "Will you take a coffee and cognac with me, *Mademoiselle Pierrefeu*?"

When a pretty girl is pleasant one must be civil.

"Willingly, monsieur."

She became confidential. She was a *modiste chez Molynard*, not too badly paid, but her mother was ill.

"With two thousand francs I could send her to Pau. Travel costs so dear."

He was thinking of his own life of joyous expedients as he replied.

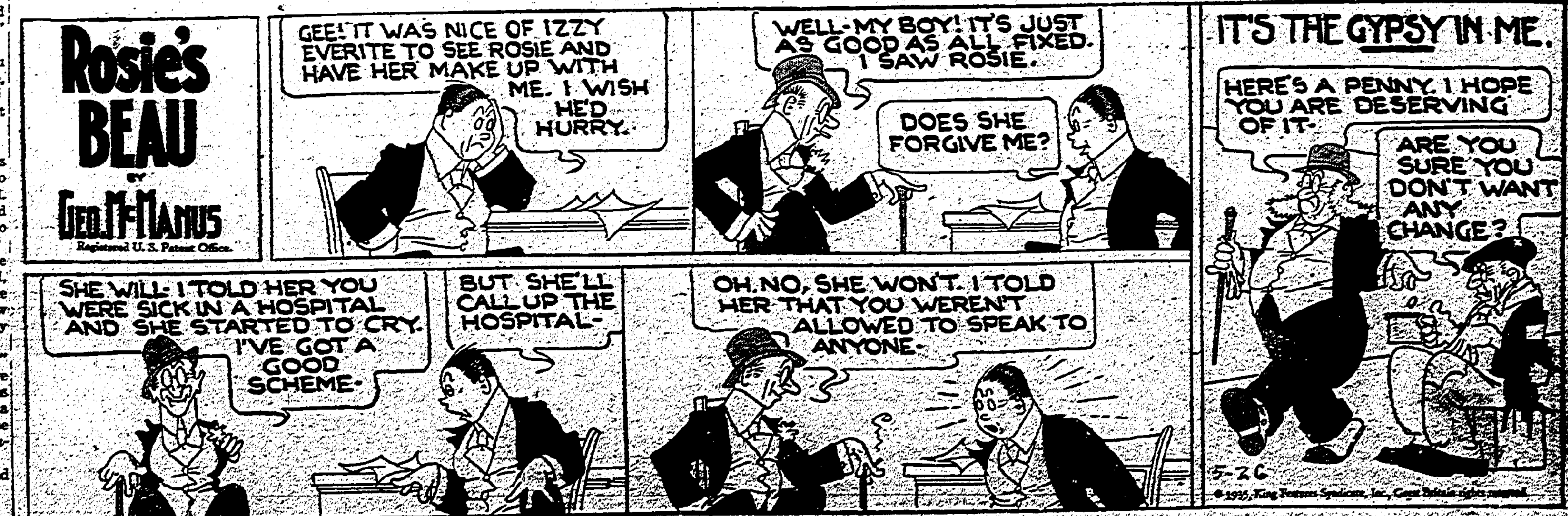
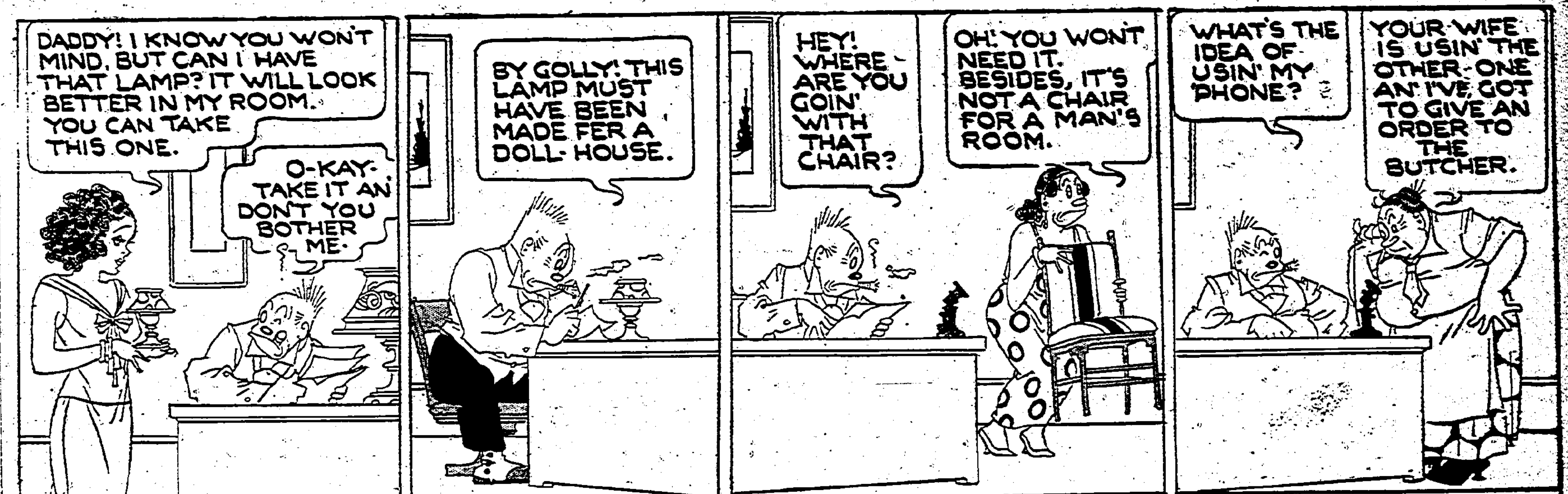
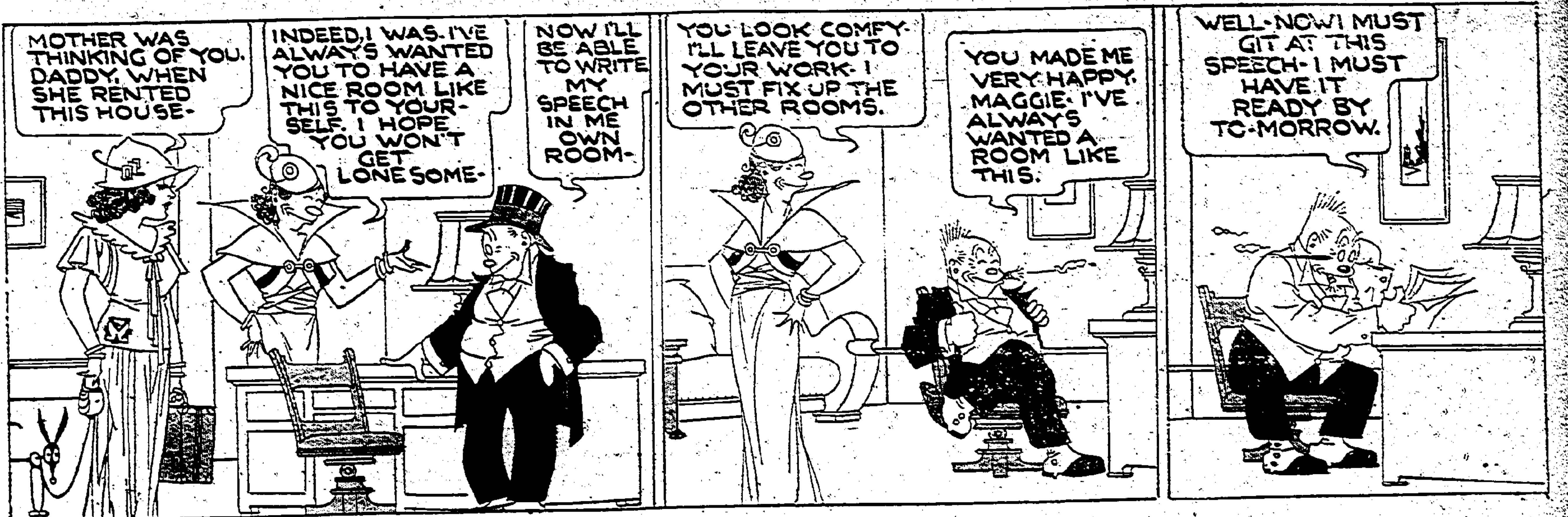
"In Monaco it is easier to make money than to *save it*," but he saw her flush. She collected her shabby gloves in silence.

"Thank you for the coffee, sir," she said dryly. "We others, we have to work. I am a serious young woman and affianced to a gentleman, a chiropodist in the Flower Gardens at Cannes. . . *Bonjour*."

"Gosh," said Bunny. "I dropped one that time."

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Bringing Up Father





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Talkie Talks

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Then the old-time "drammer," Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch, with Pauline Lord.

"The Great Hotel Murder"

This is the old reliable sure-fire Edmund Lowe — Victor McLaglen stuff, but most of the vulgarity we usually associate with the "Flags and Quirt" team is missing and the dialogue is unusually bright and amusing without being tiresome.

Also there is something else for which to be thankful. We have no girl over whom they are at loggerheads and the romance is left in the hands of Mary Carlisle and William Janney.

Our heroes appear in a well-constructed murder mystery story of the new comedy-combined-with-thrills type. Lowe is an author-criminologist, and McLaglen, of course, a hotel detective, "dumb" as the screen usually pictures them.

A guest is murdered in the Hotel in circumstances that point to suicide, and the rest of the picture is devoted to the rival efforts of the two detectives to find the killer.

Comedy of an excellent standard and a fair quota of thrills and well-sustained mystery keep the picture interesting from the first to the last. C. Henry Gordon, Herman Bing and others lend adequate support. Advised. (King's).

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If you thrill at the sight of the Campus and the football stadium, with the "Rah-Rah-Rah" of the enthusiastic crowds, then you will enjoy "The Band Plays On."

The principals look reasonably collegiate, being Mr. Robert Young, and Mr. Stuart Erwin, while Russell Hardie, Leo Carrillo, Preston Foster, Ted Healey and Betty Furness do what they can to help things along.

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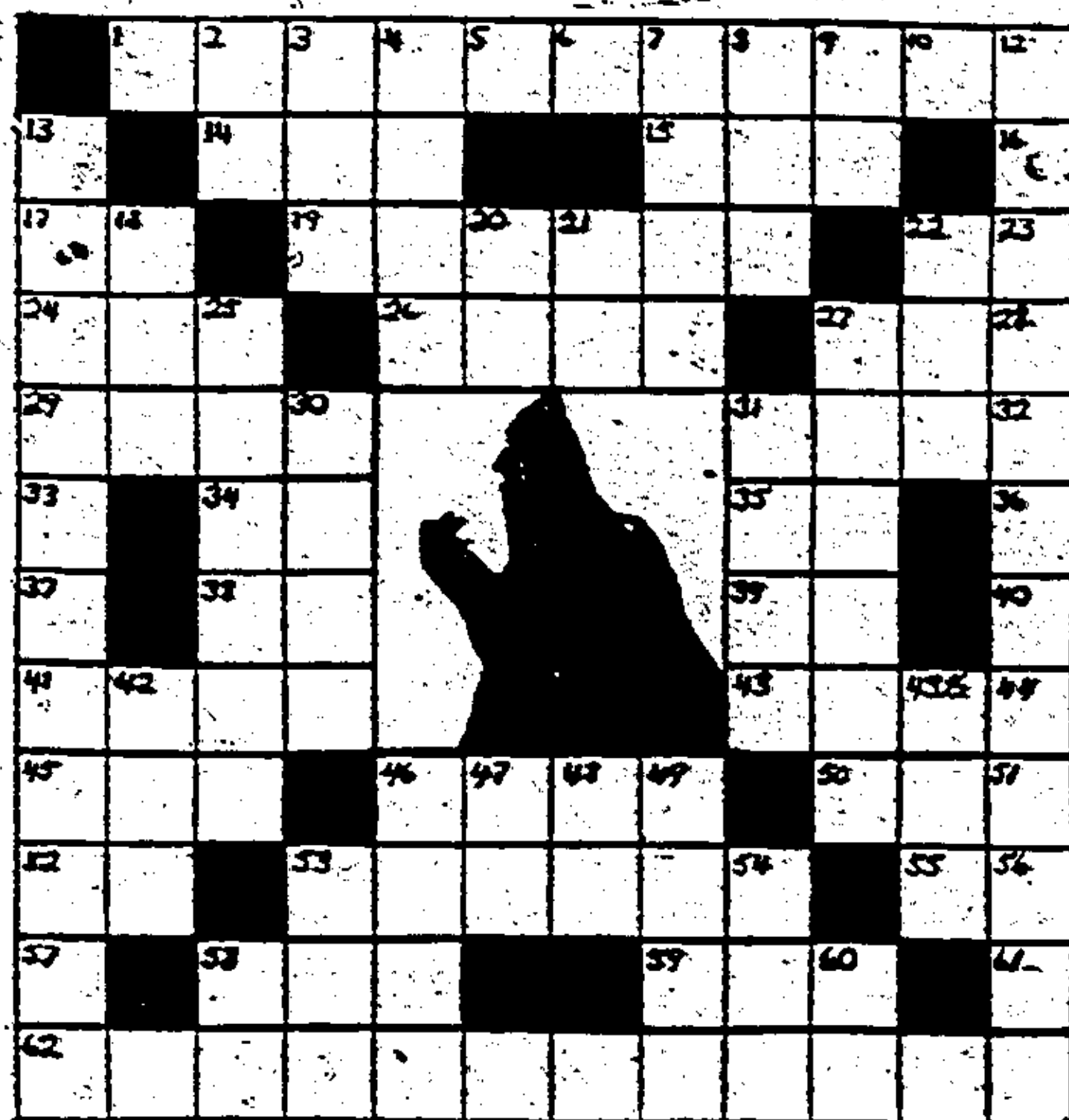
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In connection with the screening of "The Case of the Howling Dog," to be shown at the Alhambra Theatre on Sunday next, three pairs of Dress Circle tickets are being offered for the first three correct solutions to the accompanying Crossword to be opened.

Solutions, which should be enclosed in separate envelopes and clearly marked with the entrant's name and address, must be received at this office before 10 a.m. to-morrow. Envelopes should be marked "Cinema Crossword," c/o "China Mail," Wyndham Street.



ACROSS

- Six-word title of picture across top and right side
- Leave, 100 swing S
- Entire
- By way of
- Fifth letter
- Exclamation of exultation
- Shelf above a fireplace
- Questioning exclamation
- Letter following G
- Superlative ending
- Lineless heavenly body
- Opposite of to
- Fall
- An imperfection
- Letter before B
- Second note of musical scale
- Yellow-crested honey eater
- Fifty
- Worm-shaped letter
- Egyptian sun god
- Correlative of either
- Personal pronoun
- Ebenezer abbreviated
- To condemn
- Letter preceding O
- Cereal grain
- Destiny
- Hewn body of a tree
- Fourth note of musical scale
- Braids
- Public notice
- Fourth letter
- Letter following S
- Part of to be
- Propeller
- Night
- Balance of title of film, continuing from top left

DOWN

- Letter following S
- Exclamation
- Shade tree
- Serene
- First letter
- Letter before T
- Level
- Lubricating fluid
- Fourth note of scale
- Letter preceding U
- Balance of title of picture continued from 1
- First part of title of film continued across bottom
- Residue of a cigar
- Period of time
- Top of a tower
- Pertaining to flowers
- Contemptible
- Victuals
- Sheep cry
- One-half extinct bird
- Went by plane
- Scoracious lava
- Seventh note of scale
- English school
- In favour of
- Droop
- Exclamation
- Highway abbreviated

Short Shots

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Temple Thurston's story, "City of Beautiful Nonsense," is being filmed at a British studio with that fine actor Emlyn Williams in the leading role.

The adopted daughter of Wallace Beery—Carol Anne—will play a small role with him in "China Seas."

It is a strange coincidence that Joel McCrea should be the other man in the film "Private Worlds" with Charles Boyer. His wife, Frances Dee, was at one time engaged to the handsome Frenchman, but her mother thought marriage did not fit in with a career.

Ex-Prince Sigvard of Sweden, who married the German film star Erika Pataek, is at present learning film work at the M.G.M. He is known only as "Mr. Bernadotte."

Anne Harding will play the lead in "Peter Ibbotson." Ida Lupine is in the cast.

Lionel Barrymore is on loan to E.K.O. for the lead in "The Return of Peter Grimm." The original on stage and in the silents was the late David Warfield.

Edwina Booth, now having special treatment for the fever contracted while acting in East Africa in "Trader Horn," has received payment-out of Court—from M.G.M.

animal film yet produced, "Sequoia." This film is outstanding and refreshingly different from the usual animal picture, with some photography that will live in your memory. "Gato" the puma and "Malibu" the deer steal the story from the humans, Jean Parker and Russell Hardie. Not to be missed. (Majestic).

"Have a Heart," starring Jean Parker and James Dunn. Sob-stuff with a so-sweet little cripple and a have-a-heart candy man who loves her.

Followed by "Dames," starring the popular Dick Powell and a large cast of pretty girls. Music is the main attraction for me, and you may like the dance evolutions. Otto Kruger and Karen Morley give good performances in "The Crime Doctor," with Nils Asther staging a welcome come-back. (Oriental)—DIANE.



Though there are no prizes offered, if you can find the howling dog in the above puzzle, "The Case of the Howling Dog," will open at the Alhambra Theatre next Sunday.

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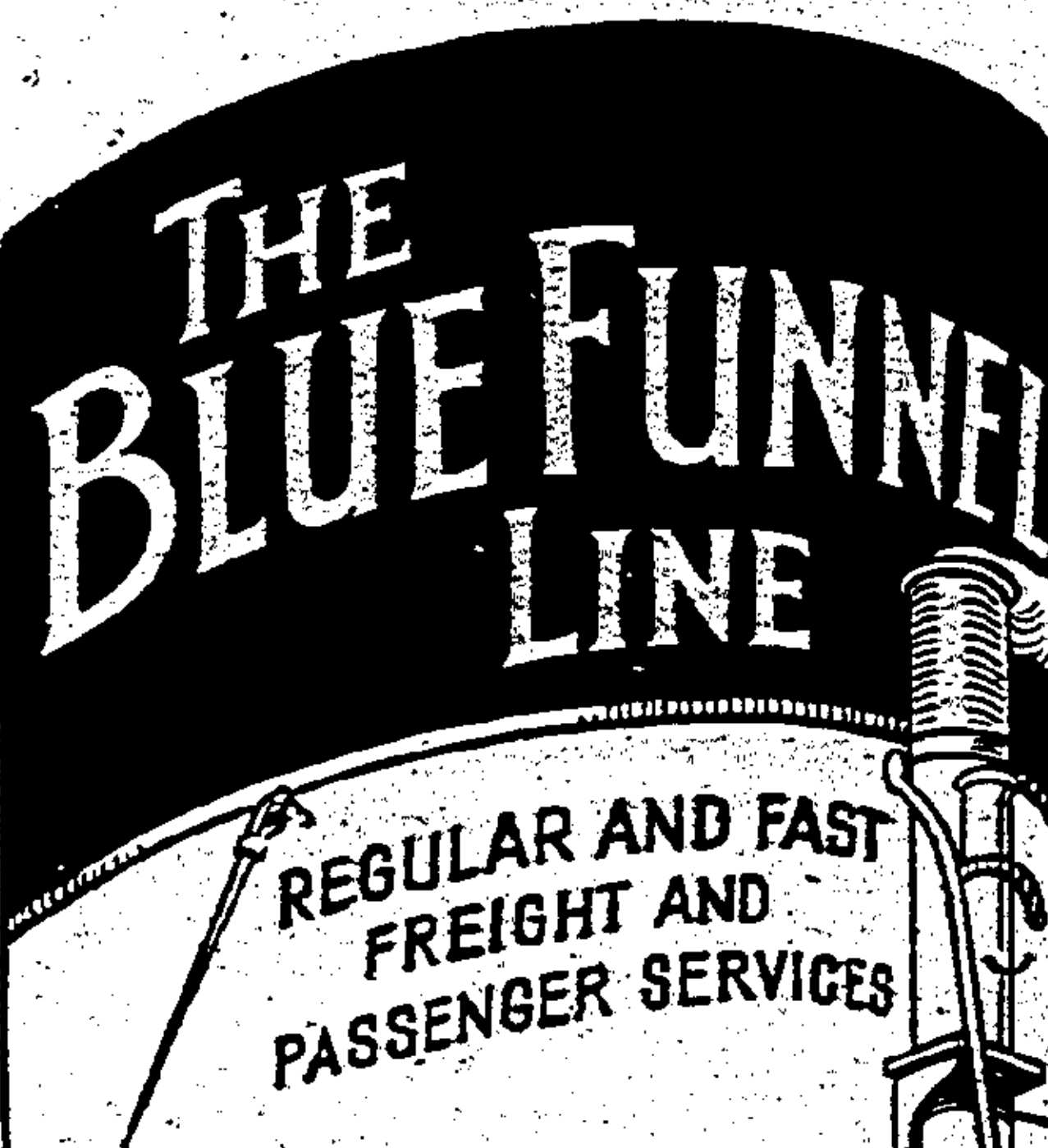
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Once Round The Clock

(Continued from Page 11).

In the sun facing the harbour he
warped his flaccid tummy in which
the leek and the sausage chanted
the witches chorus from Macbeth:
"Double, double, toil and
trouble."

Fire burn and cauldron bubble—
Monaco slept. The boats in the
harbour made strings of "O's" on
the oily pulse of the sea.

Before three he was at the Am-
bassadeurs. The goddess he had
met at the Cafe de Paris and her
two swains hurried through the
lounge with three grave-looking
Frenchmen. At the same moment
an acquaintance loomed up.

"Hello, Sutherland, looking for
trouble? Have a drink?"
"No, to both," said Bunny.
"Thanks all the same."
He was far too empty for a
drink.

"Sure? Then I will. As to
trouble, try staking hundreds at
roulette by inspiration!"
"Why do it?" asked Bunny. "I
know 19 ways of losing money more
interesting than that."

"You're an old-timer," Bonning-
ton splashed three bubbles into his
Courovoisier. "What about these
systems? A dago made a packet
last week."

"I'll show you one," said Bunny.
"You can't lose much and you may
make a hat full." As he jotted
down the Martindale theory Mrs.
Porter Dwight passed by and with
her Bunny's one hope of a square
meal. "There you are," he said,
handing Bonnington the formula.

"And you can pay me ten per cent.
on what you make."
"Pay you?" asked Bonnington.
"It's worth it," said Bonny de-
fiantly.

He never understood the conven-
tional English attitude to money.
He considered feeding at the
pension and so deferring payment
till his weekly bill came in, but
that would be defeat. He would
rather go hungry.

An hour later he encountered
Mrs. Porter Dwight, much befurred
and walking.

"Hello, hello!" said Bunny.
"Where have you been?"
To be offhand with the very rich
saved his self-respect.

"At the Savette," she returned
tardily.

"Oh, he?" teased Bunny. "What
have you been doing?"
But Mrs. Porter Dwight was in
no mood for badinage. She had
been robbed that morning of \$5,000
worth of jewellery, taken from her
room.

"Hotel rats. The police will
catch them," said Bunny soothingly.
"They have caught them," said
the irate lady. "But without my
jewels."

He saw her back to her hotel
and promised to see what he could
do—but there would be no dinner
with Mrs. Porter Dwight that
evening.

Discouraged and hungry Bunny
began to hate the camera he had
carried for the goddess. It was
time to go home and change, but
what was there to change for? He
walked down to the harbour. Men
were unloading the freighter by
the light of arcs. As he watched
the derrick stopped with a clang.
There were shouts and silences.
Something was amiss. Bunny hared
down the hill.

Barging through the crowd he
picked out a story from a jabber of
coastwise Franco-Italian. The man
at the crane had fallen and broken
his arm. At that hour there was
no one to replace him and the load
must be off the freighter in two
hours.

Bunny found the patron.
"I'll do it," he said. "What's it
worth?"

Bunny understood anything that
ran on wheels.
In five minutes he was in the cab
with the promise of 100 francs.

For two hours he sweated in
dungarees, shaky with hunger but
grinning at his own versatile com-
petence, before he staggered off
with his reward. Grandpa indeed!

Covered with soot and grease,
empty and in no shape to enter a
decent restaurant, he must needs
dine where he had lunched. He
would have a Chateaubriand steak
and a bottle of Hermitage.

As he waited Mademoiselle
Pierrefeu arrived with a young
man. She ignored Bunny, but he
heard their conversation at a neigh-
bouring table. His ear was always
cocked.

One said the police had caught
some hotel rats, a girl and two
young men, one fair and one dark.

Mademoiselle Pierrefeu was certain
they visited the Maison Molyard,
yesterday. They were clever, too;
not a thing had been found on
them.

Cautiously under the table Bunny
inspected the camera. It was of the
box pattern, and as he opened the
back of the apparatus one glance
was enough. No really efficient
camera is ever stuffed with cotton-
wool. His eager fingers felt cold,
knobbly things embedded in the
wadding.

Mrs. Porter Dwight must have
them at once.

Marvellous luck. Told of the loss
at 6.30. "Leave it to me!" Jewels
recovered by 9.15, and the police
nowhere!

"Gosh," thought Bunny. "Grand-
pa!"

"He called the waitress.
"Please serve my order to that
gentleman," said he, indicating a
grey-beard cleaning his soup plate
with a crust that nothing be lost.

"Tell him he reminds me of Saint
Christopher, who is my patron."
This note will pay the bill and to-
morrow I will return for my
change."

At the Ambassadeurs he learned
that Mrs. Porter Dwight was
suffering and could see no one.

Bunny sent up the camera with a
note and waited for a reply on the
telephone.

"Wonderful Bunny! How did
you do it? They are all there, the
necklace, earrings, everything!"
"It's a long story," said Bunny,
still empty and hoping.

"Lunch with me to-morrow and
tell me all about it," said she. "I
am most faithfully grateful."

Bunny knew Mrs. Porter Dwight
always did the right thing, and the
recovery of \$5,000 worth of jewels in-
dicated a substantial reward. Then,
too, the hotel management had rea-
son for gratitude. He made a note
of that. "But, gosh," he thought,
"What wouldn't I give for a good
square meal!"

His resources were now seven
francs fifty. He would buy biscuits
and bananas.

On the way out he stumbled into
Bonnington.

"Good for you, Sutherland," he
said. "It worked like an African
ju-ju!" He flourished a hefty wad
of notes. "A hundred and seven
thousand! Thanks to you I've had
this little jamt at the expense of
the casino, and as I tootle home to-
morrow I can't lose it! Here's your
rake-off, the odd seven
thousand."

At half-past eleven Bunny turned
in at the villa. He was dog tired
and horribly dirty, but he had fed!
Later he had bathed, and as he lay
in blissful content between the
sheets, a clock chimed midnight.

"One glorious hour of crowded
life," jeered Bunny. "Once round
the clock! Grandpa indeed!"

Mademoiselle Pierrefeu never
knew who sent her the two thou-
sand francs, but she piously thank-
ed her patron saint and sent her
mother to Pan. Bunny felt he
owed her that for all he learned
from her conversation with the
chiroprapist in the restaurant.

THE END.

"GIVE US BACK OUR KING"

(Continued from Page 3.)

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between him and the fulfilment of
his dreams. The one a courtier,
the other a son of the soil who rose
from the ranks.

Kondylis is strong at the moment:
—victor for the Government Hong Kong within 12 months of
election. This amount is not how-
ever, stated specifically in the
told me: "As long as I am Minister
for War here, there can be no ques-
tion of a King in Greece."

This statement I was able to get
past the censor, but it was not
printed in the Greek newspapers.
Two days later the words of Kondy-
lis became known to Metaxas.

Within 48 hours he resigned from
the Cabinet.

Kondylis holds the stage now. His
But when the glory of his victory
fades, we may see the King march
in again. Or will it be civil war?

ROYAL HONG KONG GOLF CLUB

(Continued from Page 5)

"I now propose the election of
Mr. C. D. Lambert as a Life mem-
ber."

"Mr. Lambert has devoted an
enormous amount of time and
thought to problems, mostly en-
gineering, connected with Fanning.

The hard work and care that he
has put in over such matters as
the water supply to the Club
houses, our old electrical plant
(used) when we made our own
light) its replacement by current
supplied by the China Light and
Power Co., and the new installa-
tion of lights, fans, and refrigera-
tors has been of great service to
the Club. The efficient state in
which our tractors and mowing
machines have been kept, and the
consequent marked improvement
in the condition of our courses,
has been largely due to Mr. Lam-
bert's supervision. In addition as
Convener of the Fanning House
Committee, Mr. Lambert has had
many small domestic problems to
settle and has been of the greatest
help to your Committee and the
Secretary."

"Mr. Lambert is leaving the Col-
ony very soon and your Com-
mittee feel that he has indeed well
earned the honour of Life member-
ship."

The motion having been second-
ed by Mr. G. H. Wilson, it was car-
ried unanimously with acclama-
tion.

Amendments
The earlier part of the meeting
was concerned with amendments to
certain Articles of Association of
the Club. One of the most im-
portant of these was the new pro-
visions for the introduction of
visitors, who will now be admitted
to enjoy the privileges of the club
for six months in any one year as
against the previous period of
three months. In explaining this
amendment to the meeting the
Chairman said:

"Your Committee have hitherto
been tied in the matter of visitors
or temporary members. Under
the present Article 37 such persons
can only be allowed the use of the
Club for a period of three months.

It is now proposed to give your
Committee the power to admit visi-
tors for a longer period.

"There are some cases where
keen golfers—generally Juniors—
come here to replace others who
have gone on leave. Such replace-
ments run as a rule to six months
and generally take place in the
summer season. To ask sub-
stitutes to join the Club as mem-
bers for six months only in the
summer is asking too much of
them. Also green fees at the pre-
sent rate are too high to induce
those who are here temporarily to
play much, and in any case the
facilities lapse in three months."

"Given a freer hand your Com-
mittee propose to make a sliding
scale for visitors or temporary
members, and to extend their pri-
vileges to six months in any one
year."

Question Of Transfer
Another important resolution
carried at the meeting covered the
case of those newly elected mem-
bers of the Club who for one reason
or another find themselves
compelled to leave the Colony soon
after joining. In explaining the
proposed amendment to the
Articles, the Chairman said:

"The present entrance fee is
\$150 for a full member. Cases
have occurred where newly elect-
ed full members have, immediately
after paying their full entrance
fee, been transferred to another
station.

"Your Committee feel that in
some cases, this acts harshly and
therefore ask for power to refund
entrance fee paid. Actually as \$75
is paid on election to the waiting
list (if and when the waiting list
is in operation), and the balance
of \$75 on promotion to full mem-
ber, your Committee propose to re-
fund \$75 in approved cases where
during this game that were well
worth comment in these columns.

Watson's Inspired Display
Watson, probably in the know-
ledge that he was playing his last
match for the Club he has served
with distinction.

One cannot but feel at times how
inadequate the usual phraseology is
for the purpose of describing some
almost superhuman effort that some
individual makes in the field of
sport. So it was last Saturday in
the game between the Bowling
Green and the Police R.C. Shepherd
and Watson of the Police, and Guy,
Hoss, Budding and Holland of the
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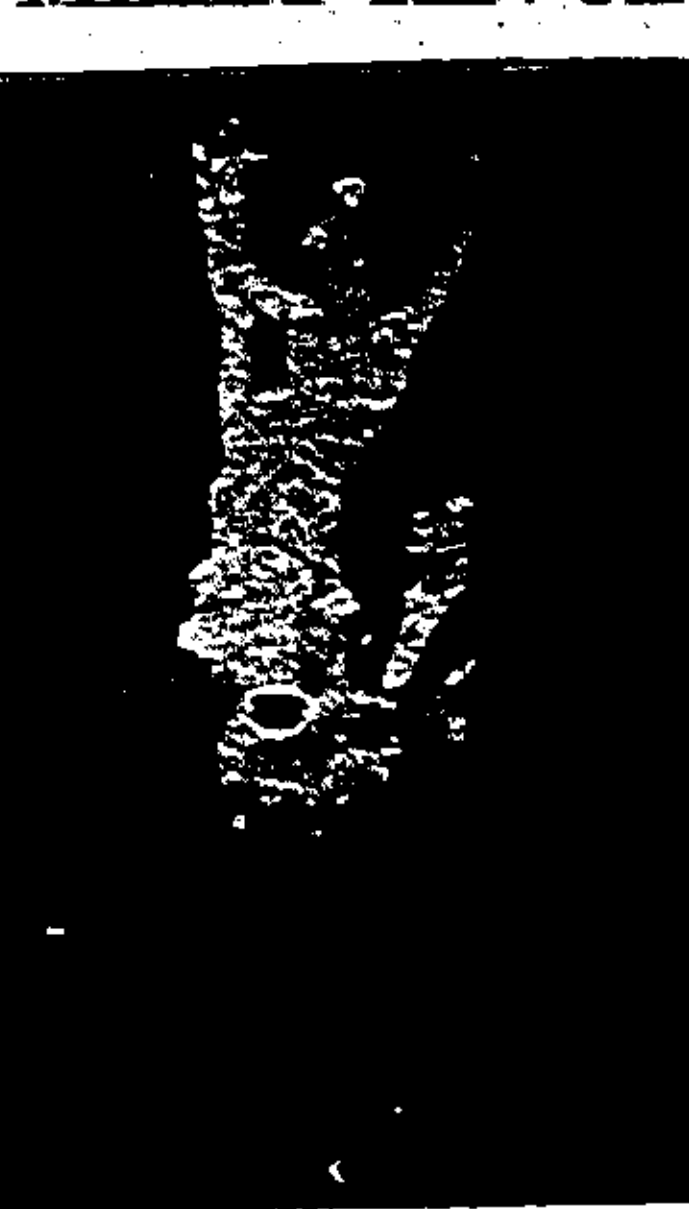
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ABYSSINIAN STATEMENT
The Abyssinian Legation here publishes a protest against the "fantastic accounts of the lives of slaves in Abyssinia" appearing in the Italian press, adding: "Slavery is being energetically combatted in Abyssinia and is destined to disappear within a short time."
The repeated assertions that Abyssinia intends to attack the Italian colonies is also devoid of all foundation, continues the statement, which goes on to say that the Emperor of Abyssinia could have easily attacked Eritrea and Somaliland at the time when they were defended by only a few hundred men if he had wished to do so.

"The measures which have been taken for the defence of the country are merely an answer to Italy's gigantic military preparations, which reveal her unmistakable intentions."

STATEMENT IN PARIS

Paris, To-day.—A categorical denial of the statements appearing in the Italian press, to the effect that the Emperor of Abyssinia recently made an inflammatory speech claiming authority over all the native tribes and inciting the natives to acts of violence against whites, was issued by the Abyssinian Legation here yesterday.

It is emphatically asserted that on his latest journey the Emperor made no speeches whatsoever. The past record of the Emperor's reign, says the official statement, is sufficient guarantee that the Emperor wants to provide for the progress of Abyssinia by working in complete harmony with all the neighbouring countries.

The sole object of the present situation is to maintain the independence and territorial integrity of Abyssinia.—Trans-Ocean Service.

MUSSOLINI WARNS PRESS
A message from Rome last Sunday said that the Italian Premier, Signor Benito Mussolini, had already strongly warned the local press against anti-British editorial attacks and had forbidden development of an anti-British campaign.

It was reported that 11 Duce warned newspaper publishers that their plants would be confiscated by the Government if their anti-British editorials continued.

JOURNAL'S BITTER COMMENTS
The warning was believed to have been especially aimed at the *Giornale d'Italia*, which in recent weeks had bitterly condemned the British attitude on the Italo-Abyssinian question and asserted that Britain herself was re-arming in East Africa.

The *Giornale's* anti-British attacks aroused the resentment of a British War Office spokesman, who termed the Rome paper's reports "Italian propaganda," and denied

50 DEAD: 73 BADLY INJURED

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So far 10 bodies are reported to have been recovered, but it is feared that the death toll may total as many as 50, with the number of people seriously injured much higher.

When this news was broadcast at 10 p.m. over all the German wireless stations five minutes' pause followed as a mark of sympathy for the victims of the disaster. The original wireless programme for the evening was then discontinued and replaced by music of a more serious character.

LATEST FIGURES

Wittenberg, later.—The latest official communication from the scene of the explosion disaster announces that up till 10 p.m. 20 dead had been recovered from the debris, but that in all probability at least 50 deaths must be reckoned with. The number of seriously injured was listed at 73, and those lightly injured at over 300.—Trans-Ocean Service.

FOREIGN POLICY OF HUNGARY

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Hungarian throne, and repeated that his standpoint was that Hungarians could only accept a monarchy in a form consistent with the nation's historical mission.

Concluding, Dr. Goemboes emphasised that reforms of the constitution would have to be carried out as soon as the economic programme was accomplished. When this was done, then constitutional changes would be effected in their entirety, not as a series of individual and disconnected measures.—Trans-Ocean Service.

RIBBENTROP ARRIVES BACK IN LONDON

London, To-day.—Herr von Ribbentrop, Reichsfuehrer Hitler's Ambassador Extraordinary, arrived here from Munich, landing at Croydon aerodrome, yesterday evening, to resume the conversations interrupted by the Whitsuntide holidays.—Trans-Ocean Service.

OPIMUM DENS IN N. CHINA

There are more than 5,600 narcotic shops and opium dens along the Peiping-Mukden line and in the demilitarised zone, according to reports compiled by officials in Tientsin. The "Sumpao" says that these opium establishments are operated by Japanese and Koreans.

British rearmament in East Africa.

Sir John Simon, British Home Minister in the new Baldwin Cabinet, also denied the imputations of British aggression contained in the *Giornale's* reports.

RUMOURS OF NEW FOREIGN MINISTER TO BE APPOINTED

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Press reports stated that Mr. Huang Fu, well known for his friendly attitude towards Japan, will succeed Mr. Wang Ching-wei as Minister of Foreign Affairs. Mr. Wang is not a career diplomat and is filling the post to avoid rivalry among several aspirants.

Chinese newspapers here have stated that Japanese military heads in North China expected that their demands would not be accepted, so that they might have an excuse to overrun Tientsin and Peiping. The Chinese acceptance of the demands of May 29 is a surprise to the Japanese military, local vernacular dailies assert.

GOVER CAUSES WORCESTER'S DOWNFALL

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Twice selected as a reserve for England against Australia last year, Gover was the only Surrey bowler to secure 100 wickets during the season.

In the first innings against Worcester he took four wickets in four balls to perform a feat last accomplished in English cricket in 1924. Surrey's win was their second in eight championship matches, while Worcester's defeat was their sixth in 10 games.

SOUTH AFRICANS WIN AGAIN

The South African tourists scored the eighth win of the tour when they beat the Club Cricket Conference by 7 wickets at Lord's in their two-day match. E. A. Rowan, described as their finest batsman, recorded his fourth century, being undefeated for 103. Owing to no play yesterday on account of rain the match resolved into a one-day fixture, the tourists playing out time.

Rowan's outstanding feats on the present tour have been: 91 and 89 vs Leicester 108 v Cambridge 104 not out v Oxford 153 v Glamorgan 103 v C.C.C.

KWANGSI GENERAL ON VISIT TO CHIANG

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Some time ago General Chiang Kai-shek assured the Kwangsi military authorities that his troops in Yunnan and Kweichow would not move into Kwangsi, and expressed his good-will to the Kwangsi leaders. The mission of General Yeh Chi to Chengtu is believed to augur improved relations between Kwangsi and General Chiang.

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia left Kobe at 5 a.m. to-day, and is due to arrive at Nagasaki to-morrow morning.

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